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Weather

Fine and hot. The maximum temperature yesterday was 93.9 and the minimum 75.4, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 93.0 and 73.0.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Pres. Jefferson, 9 a.m. tomorrow.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Lincoln, Sept. 2.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Patroclus, Aug. 30.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Amboise, Sept. 3.

Wheat Mart

Shanghai Buying From America. China's Crop Not Promising

A recrudescence of buying of American wheat set in last week in Shanghai, and orders for nearly 35,000 tons of Pacific wheat have gone from here to the Northwest Coast of America. The continued weakness in the Chicago price of wheat kept buyers out of the market for some time, and with the steadier tone that has now been imparted to the Chicago quotation, the Shanghai flour mills have deemed it wise to re-commence purchasing. A much larger trade is expected to be put through very shortly with the mills here, which recognise the opportunity of laying in stocks now in order to be independent of indigenous supplies.

Chinese wheat is selling at present at Tls. 3.80 per picul while hard Pacific wheat is quoted at G.$40 per ton c.i.f. Shanghai, which works out at yesterday's exchange at a little less than Tls. 4 per picul. Nevertheless, the millers prefer to buy the American variety although supplies of Chinese wheat are also bought up. Just now the interest of the entire milling industry in China is centered on the prospects of cheap wheat and on the nature of the offerings of Chinese wheat.

The conditions which will influence the course of prices are still undetermined, because it will be sometime before the size and quality of the country's wheat crop are known with any degree of accuracy; a great deal also depends on the inroads that American flour makes into the local market. As a result the future of the Shanghai flour mills, so far as this season is concerned, remains problematical. While there is ample room for hope at the present level of Chicago prices, many Shanghai flour millers are still inclined to feel that there is room for doubt and discouragement.

TWO MILLS REOPEN.

Twelve mills are at present manufacturing flour in Shanghai out of a total of 23. The number has increased by two in the last fortnight. It would appear that the Shanghai mills may have to depend largely upon imported wheat, and in this belief we are supported by the fact that many small mills in the interior and close to the producing centers in the North are inquiring for American wheat through Shanghai importers. This goes conclusively to show that stocks of Chinese wheat in the interior are not large.

Any weakening in the price of American wheat should create a storm of buying from Shanghai. At a decline of a gold dollar per ton it is confidently expected that over 60,000 tons could be put through with the Shanghai flour mills alone, while another 30,000 tons could be placed with mills in the North. This would bring additional flour mills in Shanghai into the working squad. At G.$40 per ton c.i.f. Shanghai the mills here would be enabled to meet expenses, interest, etc., with perhaps a little profit besides.

The Tientsin mills have also been buying American wheat on a large scale this year, and it is reported that some 20,000 tons of the American variety had been contracted for delivery September to November from Seattle and Portland. This is the first time that the Tientsin flour mills have been known to go in for importation of foreign wheat on a large scale. Last season almost all the Tientsin mills worked short time and consumed only Chinese wheat. There are only four flour milling companies in the Tientsin district, three of which have a milling capacity of 1,200 barrels a day and the other 750 barrels a day.

The Shanghai flour mills do not look upon this steady purchasing on the part of the Tientsin and interior mills of foreign wheat with favor, as imports, especially as to Tientsin, are direct, no longer being done through Shanghai houses.

UPPER YANGTSZE SHORTAGE

The shortage of wheat in the upper part of the Yangtsze Valley is conspicuous, and the Hankow mills are also asking for American wheat. There are about four to five flour manufacturing concerns in Hankow. Practically all the Wusih mills (four in number) at present are working short time. Wusih is one of the large producing centers for wheat, and the mills are therefore in a position to secure their requirement of Chinese wheat. The fact that short time has to be resorted to is another indication that the wheat crop of the country is not as good as early calculations indicated.

The wheat crop in Manchuria has suffered badly from the drought and the yield this season is expected to be lower than anticipated. So far the Manchurian mills have not been buying American wheat, but the merchants in that area have been indenting American flour to a fair extent. The crop in Northern Manchuria is reported to be excellent, but

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HANSEN AND SMITH HELD FOR TRIAL IN U. S. COURT

Granted G. $1,000 Bail On Charges

HEARING ENDS

Mrs. Gaynor Testifies For Prosecution

Ruling that the prosecution had established a prima facie case, United States Commissioner N. E. Larton yesterday evening ordered Knute Hansen, 19 year old prize ring prodigy, and his mentor, Capt. Matty Smith, held to the United States Court for trial on charges of armed robbery. Bail was fixed at G.$1,000.

During the day's testimony it was brought out that the loot alleged to have been taken in the raids on the two shops at 8 and 11 King Loong Ka on August 20, incinded 30 pounds of opium, the amount having previously been placed at 30 ounces by its owner, who appeared as a state witness.

Mrs. Samuel R. Gaynor, wife of a third defendant, who is said to have turned state's evidence, was called to the stand by the prosecution when the court convened at 3 o'clock.

Apparently she was laboring under great emotion, gave her answers in a wisp of a voice, with a hint of tears trembling underneath, while she twisted a tiny lace handkerchief continually in her nervous fingers.

A number of witnesses were called, U. S. Marshal Porter was asked whether Detective Sub-Inspector Yorke at the clerk's office tried to influence any of the Chinese. The reply was that no exertion of influence was noticed.

The Chinese employee of one of the shops that had been raided by the accused was recalled and in reply to questions put by Mr Stellfit, in cross-examination, stated that one of the accused pointed the revolver direct at him. It was the same size as the one produced in Court. At the time that the alleged robbery took place four foreigners entered his shop, one being dressed in a yellow coat and the others in white. He was taken away in the car and was seated in a rear seat with the four foreigners. One of them sat on his right, one on his knee and two on his left. He was so frightened at the time that he did not see the color of the clothes that these foreigners wore. Witness identified two of the accused, Gaynor and Hansen, as being concerned. He did not report the matter to the Police immediately after the robbery was committed.

Asked as to whether he had now come to Court as a result of an offer of immunity from the Police, the reply was that the Police had called at the shops of their own accord to investigate the affair. As regards the opium found the Police knew of it as a result of a question put to him regarding the contents of the box that was stolen. Witness believed that he would be prosecuted for being in illegal possession of the opium.

Mrs. Gaynor testified that she was at home the whole evening last Monday. There were some Chinese in the house at about seven o'clock in the evening. Gaynor went out later with a gentleman slightly shorter than himself and also darker in complexion. The gentleman in question was wearing a Panama hat and wore a light dress. Some people came to the house half an hour later. These people were speaking to Gaynor downstairs, but witness did not see them. In the crowd she noticed quite a few foreigners and a few Chinese. Shown the box in Court, she said that it was the one that her husband brought upstairs to the house that night at about 9 a.m.

Detective sub-inspector Yorke said he was on duty on the night in question and in consequence of a report made of an armed robbery investigations were made. It became soon obvious to him in his investigations that it was not an armed robbery as the value of the goods stolen was trivial. Inquiries elicited the information that a car from Johnson's Garage was commissioned for the purpose. Hansen and Smith were traced to their homes and arrested the same night while they were in their beds.

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TWO LIVES LOST IN NIGHT FIRE ON WOOCHANG ROAD

Boy And Girl Die As Flames Sweep Through Dwelling

Two lives were lost, those of a Chinese girl of 11 years and a boy of 5, in a fire which swept through a shop and dwelling at F-42 Woochang Road, near East Seward Road, late Sunday night.

The fire was reported shortly after 11 p.m. and Hongkew Division of the Brigade on arrival found a Japanese shoemaker's shop a mass of flame, which was spreading rapidly, especially toward the large foreign block on Seward Road. Strenuous work on the part of the fire fighters checked the advance of the blaze and it was mostly confined to the shop where it originated.

It was only after the fire had been got under control that report was made of a missing child and this child was later found to have escaped. Search among the ruins, however, disclosed the body of the 11-year-old boy, who evidently had never moved from his bed. The body of the girl was found near the head of the staircase. The upper premises were occupied by a Cantonese family. It was the opinion of the firemen that neither of the children could have been saved in view of the condition and character of the premises.

GERMANY WILL COLLECT TAXES IN FOREIGN MONEY

Fund To Be Created For Buying Essential Imports

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Aug. 26.—The worthlessness of the mark for foreign purchases is illustrated by the issue of a far-reaching decree, compelling tax-payers to surrender foreign currencies in proportion to their tax assessments, public companies surrendering twice the amount of public bodies and individuals, the object being the creation of a fund to finance essential imports, especially coal and food. Gold loan script will be issued against such surrenders, while heavy penalties will be visited on defaulters.

Ship Lines Act To Control Emigration

(Reuter's Service)

Moscow, August 27.—The Russian Volunteer Fleet, the White Star Line, the Red Star Line, the Hamburg America Line and the North German Lloyd have formed a joint association for the development and regulation of oversea emigration.

(Reuter's Service)

Montreal, August 27.—Three hundred Russian emmigrants from Germany have arrived at Montreal Bound for Western Canada. Several thousands are expected before the winter.

A section of the Canadian press criticises the Government in that connection for acting without the authority of Parliament.

NEW MINISTER

(Reuter's Service)

Tokio, August 27.—Mr. Naotake Sato, who is at present Counsellor at Paris, has been appointed Japanese Minister to Poland vice M. Kawakami.

Think Steamer Mylie Lost With All Officers And Crew Off The Saddles In Typhoon

Ship Last Seen In Distress Drifting Into Islands When Storm Was At Its Height; Six Foreigners And 60 Chinese Aboard

The toll of the typhoon which threatened Shanghai last week-end is feared to include the steamer Mylie, with six foreign officers and a crew of between 50 and 60 Chinese, which is believed to have been dashed upon the rocks or to have gone down in the seas about the Saddle Islands.

The Mylie, a ship of 3,000 tons, is owned by Moller and Co., and was under charter to the Kailan Mining Administration. She was on her way to Shanghai from Chinwangtao with a cargo of coal and was last sighted just off the Saddles in distress when the typhoon was at its height there.

Last word of the missing steamer, which was three days over due yesterday, was brought to Shanghai Sunday by the Butterfield and Swire steamer Changchow, which herself had a terrific experience and reached port after a fearful battering and after being nearly driven upon the rocks. Her skipper, Captain Byers, had to be taken to hospital on arrival here.

The Changchow sighted the Mylie last at about 9 p.m. last Thursday. The Mylie was about two miles to westward of the Changchow and was obviously drifting helplessly before the gale and direct into the Saddles. There was a deluge of rain at the time and it was practically impossible to make out any of the shore lights or signals. Officers of the Changchow expressed the opinion that the Mylie would not be able to tell its location and most probably struck.

The Changchow miraculously was swept through the islands without further mishap than the terrible onslaught of the storm itself.

Mr. Eric Moller left Shanghai last night for the Saddles on the tug St. Dominick to search for the Mylie, or for traces of the steamer if she went down. From the reports received, he stated, he had little hope that the ship was saved.

ACCEPTANCE OF BRITISH R'Y PLAN URGED BY WRITER

London Economist Urges Elaboration Of Scheme

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 26.—In the course of a series of articles on China's finances, the Economist urges prompt elaboration of the British scheme announced by Mr. McNeill in the House of Commons on August 1. The Journal declares that "general measures" may relate to an attempt to settle the controversies between the North and South or to minimise China's standing army. Otherwise the inferences are

(1) restriction of the work of the Customs surtax conference to examination of the problem of likin and.

(2) that the Consortium is making satisfactory progress with regard to negotiations for the unsecured debt and that the conference will deal with the selection and recommendation of other uses for the surtax, abolition of the coast trade duties and other constructive administrative reforms.

The journal points out the smallness of China's debt in relation to her population and the lightness of Chinese taxes. On the other hand, in relation to the country's financial resources as at present administered the debt is so big that it is unmanageable without foreign assistance.

In conclusion, the Economist expresses the opinion that the consequences of the Powers' next steps are not likely to be of a neutral character. They will much more likely be very good or very bad.

Harding Planned Action To Change U.S. Isolation Idea

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Aug. 26.—At the time of his death President Harding was preparing a definite plan to call a World Congress next year, according to a hitherto unpublished interview three weeks before the death of the President. He declared that his conscience no longer permitted him to remain inactive in world affairs. The American people would not countenance persistent isolation and indifference.

Some Fish!

The Hongkong correspondent of the "Eastern Times, one of the Shanghai vernacular papers, gives us the largest fish story of the season. His story concerns a giant carp captured in the waters of the Colony, and he reports that the fish, which weighed more than 100 catties, could speak. When asked, it said that the political situation in Canton would be settled within three months if the fishermen would let it loose. This request was acceded to and the fish received his freedom.

TSAO KUN CALLS CONFERENCE TO OPPOSE DEMANDS

Students Also Against Foreign Railway Guard Plan

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking Aug. 27.—On the ground that to oppose the policing of the Chinese railways under the supervision of foreign officers, there is need of strengthening the union of his party, Marshal Tsao Kun has of late wired to General Wu Pei-fu and other Tuchuns belonging to the Chihli party asking them to despatch their representatives within one week to Paotingfu where a conference is to be held.

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, Aug. 26.—As previously reported, the Ministry of Communications, having decided to appoint Lieut.-General Muntie Commander-in-Chief of training [illegible] has forwarded a courteous letter to the Lieut.-General. It is reported, however, that as he has much to consider respecting the personnel question of the railway defence office as well as his responsibility with regard to the affairs of the office in question, he will not take up the post so easily.

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, Aug. 27.—The Union of students' associations of Peking yesterday held a meeting, at which it was resolved (1) that the proposed joint control of the Chinese railways should be absolutely opposed to. (2) that hearty welcome be extended to M. Karakhan, the people of China should recognise Soviet Russia on their own initiative and at the coming Russo-Chinese conference Russia should be made to abrogate the Treaty concluded under the Imperial regime and (3) that Great Britain should be requested to return Weihaiwei to China unconditionally.

Stambaliski Partisan Shot

(Reuter's Service)

Prague, Aug. 26.—M. Daskaloff, the Bulgarian Minister at Prague during the Stamdulski regime, was wounded in the stomach today by revolver shots and died in hospital. His assailant was arrested. M. Daskaloff refused to recognise the new Bulgarian Government and remained at Prague, where he was alleged to have been carrying on Agrarian propaganda.

1,800,000 Voters Turn Out In Erin

(Reuter's Service)

London, August 27.—Polling is very active in Ireland today which is a public holiday. The electors number 1,800,000, an increase of 500,000. There are 371 candidates for 153 seats. Forecasts are difficult owing to proportional representation but the Government's continuance in office seems assured. Mr. William Cosgrave, who last week covered 1,000 miles and addressed 40 meetings to support Government candidates, has already arranged to leave on Wednesday with several of his colleagues for Geneva to negotiate for the admission of the Irish Free State into the Assembly of the League of Nations. Compete results are unlikely before the end of the week.

President Coolidge And Family

Calvin Coolidge and family etc.

HERE is the first photograph of President Calvin Coolidge, taken at the home of his father, in Plymouth, Vermont, where Mr. Coolidge and his family were spending their vacation when President Harding died. In the group are: Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge and their sons, Calvin, Jr., and John, C. Coolidge, the Vice-President's father.

Chinese Say They Paid Health Inspector $510 For Market Privileges

Foreign Sanitary Official P. Veit Goes On Trial In Mixed Court On Two Charges Of Accepting Bribes From Stallholders

The charge that sums of money aggregating $510 were collected and paid to Sanitary Inspector Peter Veit by stallholders at Hongkew Market was made by two witnesses at the Mixed Court yesterday when the bribery case involving the Health Department official came up for hearing before Assessor Allman and Magistrate Kwan.

Mr. Eardley Maitland appeared to prosecute the case and Mr. J. G. Priestwood and Mr. W. S. Fleming appeared for the accused. Veit faces two charges, one of receiving a bribe of $410 on February 27, 1923, and one of receiving $100 on April 6 of this year. Charges were made against him after a number of stallholders at the Market had been forced to remove their stalls from the ground floor to the upper part of the structure, the complainants alleging that they had paid to be allowed to keep their old locations.

The first witness called was Faung Ah-pau, who said that he kept a stall at which dumplings were sold and that he had been located at the Market for nine years. He had known the accused since last year. He was known to the Chinese as Mr. Wei. Last year about the first of the second moon when the stallholders were told that they must move upstairs, the witness said, he spoke to Inspector Veit, asking that they be allowed to remain on the ground floor.

COLLECTED MONEY

"He told me," witness continued, "that I must be intelligent and must know what to do. We thought that it was money he was after and we called the stallholders together and collected $410. The money was sent to his office in the Market but he was not there and later in the afternoon Nyung Tsang-zu and I paid it to him in his office."

The $410 was in notes, the witness said, and was wrapped up in a paper. The accused, when it was handed to him, opened it and looked at it and then put it in his pocket. He then shook witness' hand and said "alright." Shortly after this the accused came out and told the cooked food stallholders that they need not move. The witness said that his part of the contribution was $20 and that an account of the money collected was kept in a notebook Mr. Priestwood objected to the introduction of this book as it did not constitute evidence against the accused.

Cross-examined by Mr. Priestwood, the witness said that the complaint was made after the stallholders had been moved, early this month. He had made the complaint to the police on August 2. The money was paid in the office of the accused at the market, not at his home in North Szechuen Road. It was the other sum that was paid at the home and this was paid by one Kyung Kyung-kyi. If the money had not been paid the stallholders would not have objected to their removal.

DENIES THREATS

Faung denied having heard it said that the accused would not remove the Japanese stalls because the Japanese had paid squeeze and denied hearing any threats to ruin the accused. "We have not the strength to ruin him," said the witness.

Witness went to see the Secretary of the Council and saw a tax

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MARCONI PLANS RADIO OUTFITS FOR LIFEBOATS

Equipment Being Exhibited At Shipping Exhibition

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 26.—Apropos of the movement, flipped by the arrival of the survivors of the steamer Trevessa, for the invention of a transmitting wireless apparatus capable of installation in lifeboats, the Marconi Company are exhibiting at the Shipping Exhibition at Olympia, which will open in a few days' time, a compact apparatus fitting between the after-thwarts of ships' boats.

The apparatus has a range of 50 miles. It is equipped with a direction-finder, and can readily be erected and hauled down. The aerial is surmounted with a bright light to guide rescuers at night.

Soviet To Seek China Alliance

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, Aug. 26.—It is reported from Moscow that, following the failure of M. Joffe's negotiations with Japan, Soviet diplomacy is now threatening an alliance with China.

M. Vilenski, the Bolshevik Far East expert, writing in the Investia, asserts that Russian support in China's only hope of preventing Japan absorbing the Northern territories or of successfully waging a struggle against foreign imperialism.

UCHIDA TO "CARRY ON" AS ACTING PREMIER

Foreign Minister Heads Japanese Government

MAKE SHIFT

Party Fight Looms For Leadership

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, August 25.—This afternoon, at 2:40 o'clock, Count Uchida, Minister for Foreign Affairs, was appointed Premier protem by His Majesty, the Emperor.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, August 25.—The extraordinary Cabinet meeting, following the death of the late Premier Kato, was held today at the official residence of the late Premier, at which the Cabinet Ministers resolved to resign en bloc. It is expected that Count Oki, Minister of Railways, and Lieutenant General Yamanashi, Minister of War, who are now in their journey, will return here by tomorrow morning. The Cabinet has decided to collect the resignations of all the members of the present Cabinet before noon tomorrow, and Count Uchida, the temporary Premier, will, it is reported, tender the wholesale resignation of the Cabinet to the Prince Regent tomorrow afternoon.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, August 25.—Upon receipt of the news of the demise of Premier Kato, Mr. Hughes, the Secretary of State of the United States, has today through the American Ambassador here conveyed to Count Uchida, Minister for Foreign Affairs, condolence on behalf of the U. S. Government. The gist of the condolence is as follows:

The death of Admiral Baron Kato is a cause of great sorrow to the United States Government, which hereby expresses its profound sympathy to the Japanese Government for the loss of such a statesman of high repute and parts as Baron Kato. At the Washington Conference, I had the honor of conferring with the Baron and I have not the least doubt that the great efforts by which Baron Kato has done his services for strengthening the friendly relations of the peoples of Japan and the United States will be remembered eternally.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, August 26.—Count Uchida, newly appointed Premier pro tem and concurrently Minister for Foreign Affairs, this afternoon at 2 o'clock tendered the general resignation of the Cabinet to the Prince Regent.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, August 26.—The Seiyukai Party today held a meeting of those M. P.'s, who belong to the Party, and who are now staying in the capital, when the following resolution was passed:

"We are determined to strengthen the union of our Party more than ever and to effect the formation of a Cabinet organised by our Party." In the meantime, the Kenseikai Party and all other non-Seiyukai Parties also held their joint-meeting today in Shiba Park with a large attendance, numbering tens of thousands. At the meeting, they passed the following resolution:

"The people of Japan have decided to reform national affairs and to bring into existence such a non-Seiyukai Cabinet that will decisively carry through universal suffrage."

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, August 25.—Newspapers here today published the late Premier's career and anecdotes as well as stories respecting the Premier. The papers, after lamenting his death, are unanimous in saying that he had an insight into the general situation of the world, possessed

far-sighted views and was rich in courage. In this connection, the Tokio "Asahi" writes that the death of Premier Kato, who was one of the most far-sighted and clear-sighted statesmen, is a serious loss to the nation.

The Tokio "Nichi Nichi" says that, though Admiral Kato was not short of such qualifications as are worthy of a chief executive of the State, the surrounding circumstances failed to enable him to display his aspirations to a full extent.

The "Jiji" states that considering that the continuance of the metamorphic Cabinet tends to place political circles in a precarious state, opposition, therefore, should be made to the metamorphic Cabinet and asserts that it is most reasonable to let the Kenseikai Party form its Cabinet at this juncture.

The "Yomiuri" says that it is hoped that sound and healthy arguments will be created previous to the formation of a new Cabinet. The "Kokumin" writes that it is proper and fair that Viscount Kato, President of the Kenseikai Party, should be recommended as the succeeding Premier.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, August 25.—The mourning for the late Premier Kato was announced today and it has been decided that the funeral will be held on the 28th instant in accordance with the naval funeral rites. It is expected that the remains of the late Premier will be removed on the 27th instant to the official residence of the deceased. Admiral Takarabe, Minister of the Navy, has been decided to be the Chief of the Committee in charge of the funeral.

Tokio, Aug. 26.—With a very complicated political situation existing and two parties engaged in a struggle for power following the decision of Premier Baron Kato, Count Uchida Foreign Minister yesterday was installed as Acting Premier and will carry on until after the funeral of the deceased leader.

Today Count Uchida presented the resignation of himself and his colleagues, having no other alternative, but acceptance has been temporarily withheld.

Speculation is rife as to the cabinet which will succeed the present make-shift, the general consensus of opinion being that it will take the form of another non-party cabinet such as was headed by Baron Kato. It is also considered possible that the present cabinet will be reconstructed to continue until the general election next May.

Strenuous opposition to the non-party cabinet is being put forward by the Kenseikai Party which staged a monster demonstration this afternoon to combat its continuation, more than 12,000 people attending.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Secretary of State Hughes today sent to Acting Premier Count Uchida message of condolence in which he declared that: "The services of Baron Kato to cement the bonds of friendship between our people will ever be memorable. The United States Government learned of Baron Kato's death with the deepest sorrow and I desire to express to the Japanese Government my profound sympathy at your irreparable loss.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, August 27.—The remains of the late Premier, Admiral Baron Kato, were removed today from his private residence to his official residence. On the occasion of tomorrow's funeral, Count Uchida, the temporary Premier, all the Cabinet Ministers, and eight admirals are expected to escort the coffin.

Report Crisp Loan To Be £1,000,000

Tientsin, Aug. 26.—It is reported in Chinese circles that negotiations with regard to the Crisp Loan have been completed through the good offices of Dr. Wellington Koo and that the British group concerned has decided to hand over £1,000,000 to the Chinese Government subject to the redemption by China of Old loans. The agreement will, it is further reported be signed in London in order to avoid the possible objection on the part of the British Minister to Peking.

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Why All Those Firecrackers Popped Sunday Evening

Sunday, the fifteenth day of the seventh month, was the day the ghost walked.

To the grimm we might explain that it was the feast of Yu Lan Hwei, or Kwei Chieh, one of the three spirit festivals celebrated in China—and in celebration of the fact that a partial eclipse of the moon occured on the same evening firecrackers were popping merrily all over the Shanghai district.

There are two stories told as the origin of this festival. According to one story the mother of Buddha conceived on the Fifteenth of the Seventh Month of the year "Kwei Ch'uo" and Buddha himself was born on the Eighth of the Fourth Month the next year which was the tenth year of Prince Chuang of the Chou Dynasty. The celebration of this feast with lanterns, as is done even now, however, did not commence till the Tan Dynasty. It is said according to the "Yu Lan Pen Chin," one of the sacred books of Buddhism, that a certain priest Mu-Lien was the spirit of his dead mother suffering from intense hunger, and hastened to give her some food from the "Po" (a basin) which he held in his hand. When his mother took up the food and was putting it to her mouth, the food suddenly turned into ashes. The priest was frightened and crying bitterly returned and told the then living Buddha what had happened. The latter told him that his mother's sin was so great that it was not sufficient for him alone to atone; and that it would require all the priests in the whole land to move the compassion of the gods. He then told him to prepare, in the name of his ancestors to the seventh generation, five kinds of fruits and a hundred kinds of other eatables, to be placed in a basin as a sacrifice to the gods on the Fifteenth day of the Seventh Month. This was accordingly carried out with the assistance of chants chanted by all the priests in the land, acting under an order from the Buddha. The spirit of Mu-lien's mother was thereby saved from all the sufferings that were due to "hungry spirits." Mu-lien suggested to the Buddha that all filial sons of the Buddhist sect, should there after observe this feast and carry out the same rites that he had performed. Since then the lotus flower, which is the shape of the basin Mu-lien used, has been made the pattern for the lanterns that are floated on lakes and rivers streams and ponds on this day. The decoration of the lanterns has, of course, since then been greatly modified.

Emperors in the T'ang Dynasty used to celebrate the feast, with lanterns, with their officials in their palace. Emperors in the Sung Dynasty did the same. Cakes in the shape of lotus leaves were made and served at these imperial feasts. It has not developed that it is not only a Buddhist festivity; other sects take part also. In Peking, besides lanterns displayed on the creeks, huge images made of paper, with ugly faces and fierce gestures used to be part of the show. Since the Republic these celebrations have decreased and the festival has not been so eagerly looked forward to as it used to be by most people. The lanterns made now are not limited to simply a lotus basin, but today you may see on the streets lanterns of all designs, though the lotus is still used as the motive. In some districts the image of the Chen Hwang, the god of the spirits is carried out into the fields and sacrifices are offered to him. The feast will probably gradually turn into a simple lantern show, or lose its original meaning, unless the disciples of Buddha become more zealous in their faith.

TRADE OUTLOOK MUCH BETTER IN UP RIVER PORTS

Steamers Leave Ichang For Chungking With Full Cargoes

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Ichang, August 26.—It is reported here that the Fu Kwan, who was responsible for the outrage on the Alice Dollar, was under the direct control of General Chao Yung-hwa, who is at present at Chungking with part of the Northern expedition operating in Szechuen. General Chao has not sent an officer as his deputy to deal with the matter, and, as the Fu Kwan had already been taken on board the "Isable" to be handed over to the Tuchun at Wuchang, General Chao's deputy has proceeded to the capital of the Province to see that the man is dealt with. So far is known, nothing has yet been done about the men who were handed over to General Wang.

There is varying news of the Northern expedition. Some say that the Northern forces have been badly beaten again, and that an early withdrawal may be expected; as bearing out this, it is known that the families of some of the officers operating there have received instructions from their husbands to proceed down river out of harm's way. On the other hand, a letter from Chungking, dated August 16, states that General Yang Sen holds Luchow, and other important places on the way to Chengtu. General Hsiung Keh-wu was then in Chengtu, but was feeling the pinch of an empty purse. There had not been any fighting reported for some time, as both sides seemed to be prepared to halt a bit until the rice harvest had been garnered in.

Chungking steamers, which have been up and down recently, have reported that they had a peaceful trip, and were not interfered with in any way. The remarkable thing is that there is a distinct improvement in trade just now. The steamers are all leaving here with full cargoes for Chungking, and a good deal of cargo is also being brought down river. As usual when there is a rush of cargo, and more space required than is available, the freights have gone up and Tls. 10, is now quoted as the freight per bale of cotton yarn which is the article that standardises freights.

The Japanese boycott is heard of occasionally. The other day the Customs had an auction of goods that had been seized and confiscated. There was some cargo of Japanese origin amongst the lots sold. When the buyer started to remove his purchase, he found that he was subject to considerable opposition, which ended in his being badly beaten, and taking his stuff back to the Customs.

Three days ago, when the Yunyang was going out, it became known that she had shipped 2,000 packages of pottery ware. Representations were made by a Chinese firm to the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs that this cargo belonged to French merchants and so should not be interfered with if it went in the Japanese ship. He notified the Chamber of Commerce, and they, in turn, sent word to the Society for Assisting in Diplomatic Affairs. The stuff was shipped.

Next day some one came to the principal man in the firm which had made the communication to the office of Foreign Affairs, and said they had found out that the cargo was not that of French merchants, but was their own. He put the blame on the clerk, who was marched off to the police station, where he was detained. It is difficult to know who controls the situation, the officials or the students.

Opium is still passing through the port and the Customs seized a parcel on board a sampan recently, apparently making its way to a steamer for Hankow. The Kweichow troops, who were formerly reported as being on Itu, and being supplied with all kinds of military stores from Wuchang, have now made a payment for them. A big lighter named the "Wu Sheng No. 1" was to be seen in this harbor not long ago, having being towed here by a tug, named "Yuen Tan No. 10." It became known that this same lighter had been at Itu, and that 150 coolie loads of opium had been carried on board; the General in command of the troops accompanied the stuff with an escort. It is a fair assumption that this huge quantity of opium, which must have weighted six or seven tons, was being taken to Wuchang to pay for the military stores which had been supplied to the Kweichow troops.

Some 250 expert revolver shots are said to have gone though the city recently on their way to Chungking. It is thought that, in the absence of shipped as ordinary passengers on some of the steamers which were going up but how they managed to carry up their uniforms and revolvers is a mystery.

Further there have been considerable troop movements recently. The Kweilee on her last trip up brought 1,000 soldiers from Haint'i to Shasi, who are supposed to be proceeding to the [illegible] district of Hunan. The Kuling, which arrived here this morning, was bringing up some 800 troops to this town, while some have been sent from here to Yochow, or other place in Hunan. It appears likely that Hunan will be the next storm centre.

British Troops Leaving Turkey

(Reuter's Service)

Constantinople, August 27.—The evacuation of British troops is actively proceeding following ratification by Turkey of the Lausanne Treaty. The waiting transports have all left filled with troops to sign spirits and with ammunition. It is expected that the Asiatic side of the Straits will be completely evacuated within a week. The French troops have left Maritza. The Greeks have commenced evacuation of Karagatch.

Hansen And Smith Held For Trial In U.S. Court

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Gaynor was arrested at 15, Studley Avenue, where he handed the two Colt's revolvers to Inspector Cruickshank. The box presented in Court were taken from the cotton yarn shop.

Cross-examined, witness stated that according to the Chinese prisoner's statement 20 to 30 pounds of opium were stolen in the armed robbery on the two shops.

After a few more witnesses were called and questioned, Mr. Stellitt addressed the Court.

Commissioner Lurton ordered them to appear before the Higher Court and bound them in a thousand dollar gold bond each.

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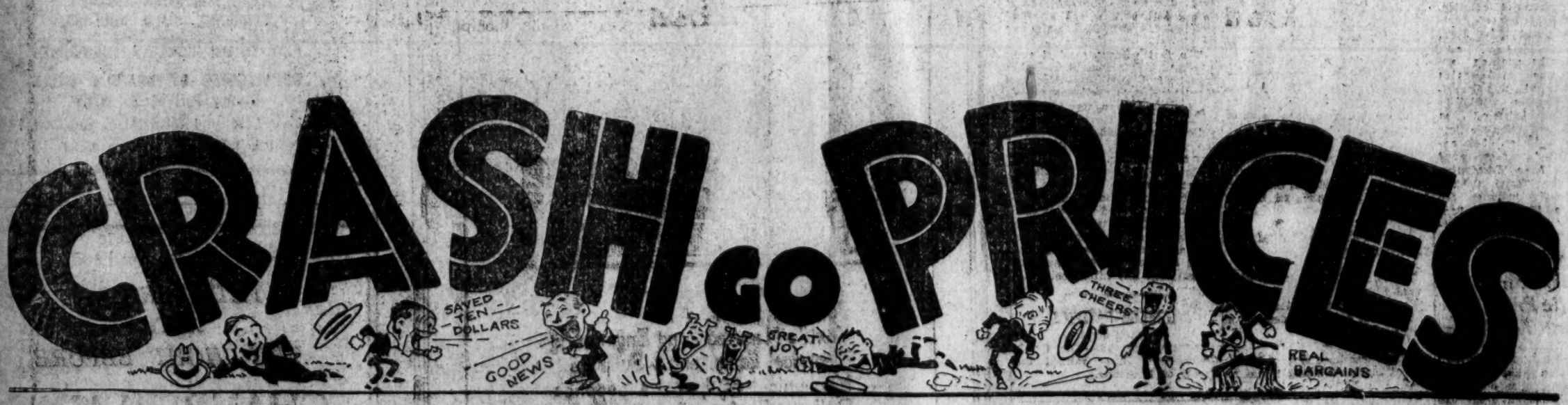

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PRES. JEFFERSON TAKES MAILS ON WEDNESDAY

Next American Is Due On Next Sunday

Following the sailing of the Empress of Australia yesterday morning, the next fast mail for the States will go on the President Jefferson tomorrow and the President Pierce is leaving for San Francisco next Saturday.

The Jefferson will arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong this afternoon, and is to dock at the China Merchants Central Wharf around 2 o'clock. The liner will sail for Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

With the consignments of American mail that arrived last week-end, the next mail from the States is due on the Pacific Mail steamer President Lincoln next Sunday. The President Madison, on which another heavy mail is expected, will arrive in port from Seattle on Tuesday, September 4.

No damage to mail for Shanghai that was brought on the President Grant, which twice caught fire on its way from Yokohama, and the only damage referring to mail was done to and Manila. The extent of second class matter for Hongkong damage to cargo for this port is impossible to tell before it is being thoroughly surveyed. The Grant sailed for Hongkong and Manila at 10 o'clock yesterday morning.

A mail from Europe arrived yesterday morning on the P. and O. liner Mantua. The vessel will sail for Japan ports tomorrow, and the tender with out going passengers will leave the Customs Jetty at 10.30 a.m. The Amboise, bringing the European mail of July 27, left Saigon early yesterday morning, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on September 3.

The Pembrokeshire of the Glen Line will arrive in Shanghai from London via ports today, and docking at the China Merchants Lower Wharf. The Blue Funnel steamer Ixion left Singapore on August 24, and is due here next Friday morning, and the Persens will arrive on the same day.

De Witt C. Poole Goes To Yokohama To Be U.S. Consul

Washington, Aug. 21.—Dewitt Clinton Poole, Jr., chief of the Russian division, Department of State, has been appointed United States Consul-General at Yokohama and is to depart for Japan about October 1. Mr. Poole for the last two years has been Secretary of State Hughes' principal adviser on Russian affairs. He has been a consistent opponent of recognition of the Russian Soviet by the United States. He was one of the last officials to leave Moscow for Archangel in 1918.

Mr. Poole was a member of the American technical staff at the Conference on Limitation of Armament. He is an Episcopalian, a member of the American Political Science Association, the American Economic Association, the American Society of International Law, and the Loyal Legion.

Several months ago an announcement was made that Stuart J. Fuller, who was Consul-General at Tientsin would be appointed Consul-General at Yokohama in succession the late George H. Scidmore. The announcement later was confirmed by a dispatch from Washington stating that the State Department had officially announced the appointment of Mr. Fuller. Reasons for the change in appointments are not known in Japan.

Five American Catholic Priests Going To Hunan

Five American Catholic priests who arrived on the President Grant on Saturday will go up river to become missionaries in the Hunan districts at present kept on the map by bandit activities. The priests who arrived are Father Constantine Lee h of Pittsburgh, Father Edmund Campbell of Wilkesbarre, Father Dunston Thomas of Boston, Father Arthur Benson of Pittsburgh, and Father Quentin Olwell of Brooklyn. They have been entertained by Shanghai Catholics during their stop over here.

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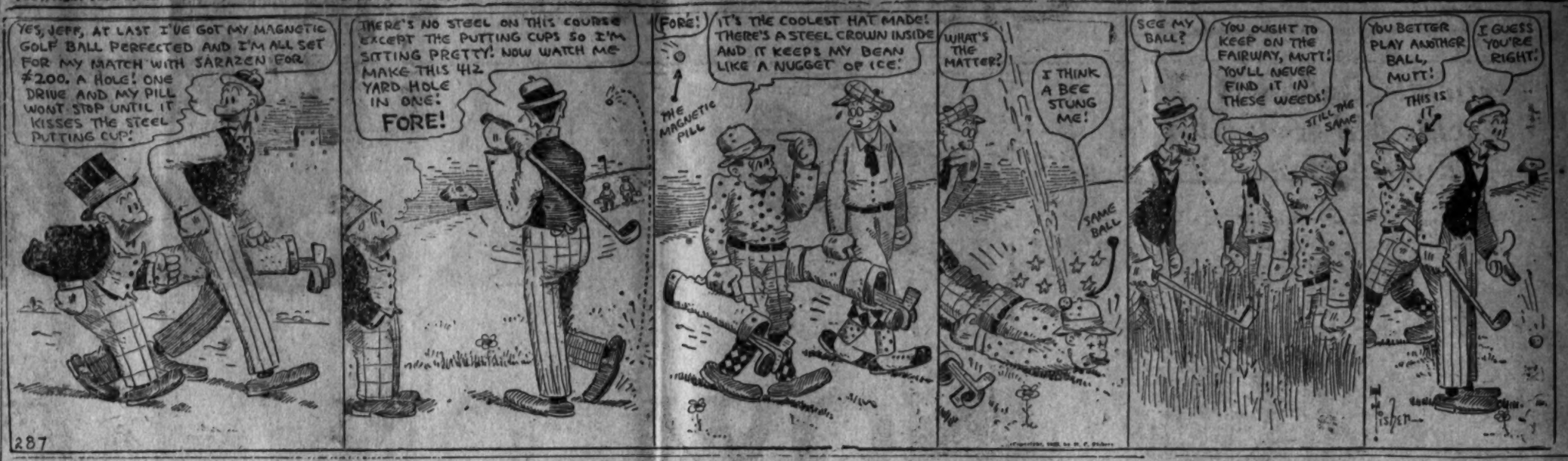
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News Brevities

A ry funeral will be given Corporal K. Y. Be of the Chinese Company, S. V. C. from the Great East Gate at 4 o'clock this afternoon, according to orders issued yesterday by Colonel Cordon, the Commandant.

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The Chinese Company will detail a firing party to parade at the East Gate at 3:45 o'clock and the procession will pass via Chung Hwa and Ming Kuo Roads, Rue de l'administration, Shantung, Nanking and Tibet Roads to the Soochow Creek in Sinza Road.

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Among the passengers sailing for Vancouver on the Empress of Australia were Mrs. O. Walter, en route to London for a short visit; Mrs. R. Lawrie-Smith, en route to London for a six months visit; Mr. A. Wohlgemuth, en route to Berlin for a visit; and Mr. A. K. Bryceson of the A.P.C., who returns to England for all time.

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Mrs. Tornroth, wife of Captain W. Tornroth of the s.s. Alice Dollar, who was injured by steel splinters when the Chinese ruffian soldiers boarded the ship, arrived in Shanghai on the s.s. Loongwo and is at the Palace Hotel.

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Mrs. Fetterley, wife of Mr. Fetterley of the China Mail offices in Hongkong, arrived on the Empress of Australia. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. F. A. McGrath.

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Mr. Bruce Haldeman, for many years owner of the Louisville Courier-Journal and Louisville Times, and Mrs. Haldeman, are now in Yokohama on a tour of the Far East that will bring them to Shanghai next month.

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Yokohama and Kobe tied in the interport swimming and water polo matches just held in Kobe.

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Mr. Louis R. Schmortz, a recent graduate of Princeton University, arrived on the President Grant en route to Peking to join the Princeton-in-Peking group as an instructor in athletics.

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Mr. A. B. Carlton, United States Consul at Amoy, arrived from Seattle on the President Grant on Saturday en route to resume charge of the consulate.

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Silk which went forward on the P. and O. steamer Devanha from Shanghai July 21, arrived in Marseilles at 8 p.m. on August 24.

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The French gun-boat Altair left Shanghai yesterday.

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Mr. E. O. Drake, Hupeh divisional Manager for the B. A. T. with headquarters in Hankow, is in Shanghai for a few days on a business trip.

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A son was born August 25, at the Victoria Nursing Home to Mr. and Mrs. B. Lindsay Molyneux.

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The new fleet gunnery officer of the China Station is Commander S. L. G. Ingham, who has joined the flagship Hawkins. Commander Ingham will be included in the staff of the Commander-in-Chief. He has been expert in gunnery for many years and saw a great deal of service in the late war.

Say Inspector Veit Got $510

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collector, to whom he reported the payment of the $410.

The second witness, Nyung Tsang-yeu, corroborated and to a certain extend elaborated the evidence given by Faung. On the first of the second moon of last year, he said, Inspector Veit came to the stallholders and told them that they would have to move, adding "do you understand." This expression, the witness interpreted as meaning that he wanted money. They told him that they understood and collected the $410. Later the witness said that Veit's expression had been "do you understand, and understand means money."—Witness said he went to the office with Faung. Faung was the spokesman and said "Mr. Veit, this is a gift to you," He did not say what it was for and said nothing about the threatened removal. About forty stallholders contributed to the fund.

The second payment to the accused, Nyung said, was in April of this year. The money was given to an old woman.

REALISED OFFENSE

Cross-examined by Mr. Priestwood, the witness said he knew that they were committing an offense when they gave the money, "but there was nothing else to do. We wanted to make a living." He, too, denied ever hearing any threats made against the Inspector. Questioned by the Assessor as to why he and the first witness had been selected to pay over the money, he said that Faung had been picked by the stallholders and had asked him to go along.

The first witness, recalled and examined by Mr. Priestwood, said that he had been prosecuted by Inspector Veit in the Mixed Court on August 9 as a result of the trouble at the Market, when the police were called in to effect the ordered removal. His stall was now upstairs.

Questioned by Mr. Maitland, he said that he had made the complaint to the police on August 2 before the Mixed Court case.

Mr. Maitland stated that he had five or six more witnesses to call and suggested an adjournment and the hearing was continued until this afternoon.

GREECE RATIFIES

(Reuter's Service)

Athens, Aug. 25.—The Greek Government has ratified the Treaty of Lausanne.

Wheat Mart

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the Southern crop is estimated at only 60 percent of normal, due to the drought.

Taking the entire district as a whole, some state that the harvest will exceed last year's crop by 20 percent. In other words a slightly above normal crop is looked forward to. In the Dairen district, the yield, it is estimated, will run out some 40 percent below normal.

INSUFFICIENT SUPPLY

Chinese wheat, in sympathy with the Chicago market, after dropping to Tls. 3.40 per picul has rallied to Tls. 3.70 to Tls. 3.80 per picul. The average daily arrival of wheat from the interior districts amounts to about 5,000 to 10,000 piculs. This is not sufficient for the needs of the Shanghai mills, many of which would not be working today but for the timely fall in the American price which enabled them to make their purchases. Stocks of native wheat in the interior are not large.

No business in Australian wheat is reported as having been done locally, although the price went down in Australia recently, standing at present at the equivalent of Tls. 4.10 ex-wharf Shanghai, which is higher in value than American wheat. Australian wheat is regarded as slightly superior to No. 1 American, but so far since the opening of the new season no importation of this grade has been reported.

On the c.i.f. basis, the quotation for Canadian wheat, which rose by some fifty cents gold per ton during the past two or three weeks, made trading in this grade difficult. The higher price is the result of an increase in freight rates from Vancouver to Shanghai, tramps quoting G.$7 per ton against G.$6.50 previously. Canadian wheat can be landed at G.$42 per ton c.i.f. Shanghai.

Indian wheat has not been coming to Shanghai, the last forecast issued a couple of days ago placing the Indian crop in all the Indian states at 9,891,000 long tons, compared with 9,817,000 long tons of last year. This is much below the last forecast, issued in April last and which placed the outturn at 11,399,000 long tons. It is not profitable to the mills in China to import Indian wheat at the present ruling prices.

70,000 TONS COMING

The first consignment of the 70,000 tons of American wheat previously contracted for by the Shanghai Mills will arrive here about the end of September, and will probably consist of 5,000 tons. The grand total of the Shanghai purchases is some 100,000 tons, 70,000 tons of which was contracted at rates between G.$41.60 and G.$40 per ton for shipment end of August to the end of October. The balance has been done at G.$41 per ton. To this has to be added the 20,000 tons reported as having been bought by Tientsin mills direct from the States.

The Japanese flour mills have regarded the improvement in the Chicago market with keen interest, and have been in the market to lay in fresh stocks while holders stopped unloading their old stocks. Although the price of Japanese wheat has stayed unaltered because business is restricted owing to the scarcity of floating stocks in the market in Tokio, it is steadier. October delivery for Japanese wheat is quoted at yen 17.50 per picul. When the slump in the Chicago market first set in the Japanese market showed almost no sympathy. The shortage in stocks, especially in fine qualities, is supporting the holders who quote yen 17.50 per picul for the season's crops and yen 18.50 for last year's.

NOTE: Tomorrow's article in this series will be devoted to a study of the Silk situation.

Obituary

KATE DOUGLAS WIGGIN

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 25.—The death is announced of the well-known American authoress, Kate Douglas Wiggin (Mrs. George Christopher Riggs). Mrs. Riggs organised the first free kindergartens for the poor on the Pacific Coast.

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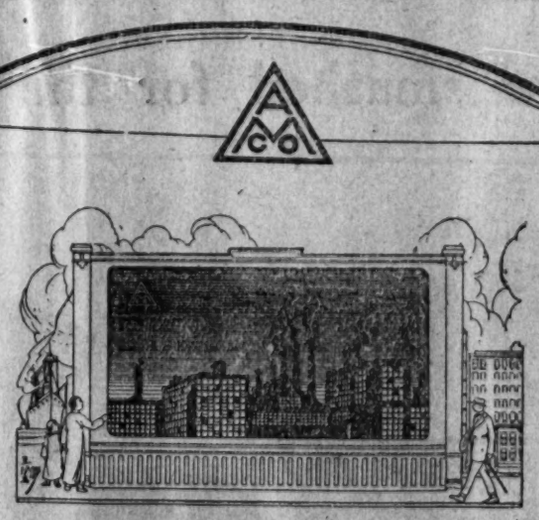
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Erstwhile Gallopers To Tackle Millers Today In Fourth Game Of Series

With Mumford And Birtulpo Out Of Way Temporarily Our Gang Ought To Win Another Game; Lack Of Hitting Hurt Sunday

By Westa

With the series two to one against them the erstwhile Gallopers will resume their engagement with the Fort Mills boys this afternoon, starting at half past four. In view of what happened Saturday and Sunday there isn't much basis for hoping that our gang will cop, but on the other hand the prospects might be figured from the basis of what happened last Thursday, on which occasion we cleaned 'em up, tail feathers and all.

The Millers have now used Mumford and Birtulpo, their pitching stars, and will probably call on Ellison today, although they may send Juanito in again. Holby's choice will be difficult, unless he elects to give Wynn a trial. It doesn't make much difference who does the pitching if a good defensive combination can be got together. In Sunday's game the absence of Kingman, Bullard and Pepper was felt, but one and perhaps two of these players will be in the line-up today. Captain Kingman will be back at first and Pepper is counted upon to play right. Bullard has not yet returned from Peking, where he was called by the serious illness of his wife.

With the skipper back on the job the team will go into today's fray with renewed confidence, despite the defeat of Sunday, which was nobody's fault in particular, unless you could blame it on the bat makers. They left a lot of holes in the bats supplied to the Shanghai team and it was through these openings that Birtulpo's slants whizzed Sunday. Holby put in a rush order for a lot of new willows yesterday, so today's story is very likely to be something else again.

In Sunday's game Birtulpo held the locals to two hits, and two hits haven't won many ball games since Fielder Jones and his hitless wonders copped the old bunting back in 1906. Aside from the weak hitting the Gallopers seemed to be listless and discouraged, not taking the customary interest in the proceedings. To make matters still worse Freddy Bills had his 1923 off day, and when Freddy is not up to form the team is like a tail without a dog, so to speak.

Freddy said last night that he felt properly chagrined on account of his bobbles of Sunday, and gave his assurance that in today's battle he would negotiate at least three hair raising, breath taking stops and throws, and slam out at least two clean hits in addition. That ought to increase the blood pressure in the customers' coops.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE!

Manager Gallop announced yesterday that four more games would be played with the Fort Mills team, beginning with today's game. The schedule follows:

Tuesday, 4:30 o'clock.
Thursday, 4:30 o'clock.
Saturday, 4 o'clock.
Sunday, 4 o'clock.

No further word has been received from the Meiji team and from present indications it does not look like the hoped-for three way series between Shanghai, Fort Mills and Meiji can be arranged.

Sunday's score:

Shanghai	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Taylor lf.	3	0	1	2	1	0
Thatch 2b.	4	0	0	1	4	0
Bills ss	3	0	0	3	4	2
Posnecki cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor 1b.	4	0	1	12	0	1
Cutchins c.	3	0	0	6	0	0
Smith rf.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Scott p.	2	0	0	0	4	0
Howland 3b.	3	0	0	3	2	0
	28	0	2	27	16	3

Fort Mills						
Borowski 1b.	5	1	0	12	1	0
Ylanan 2b.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Platon c.	5	0	3	8	0	0
Birtulpo p.	5	1	1	0	4	0
Storaalsi lf.	5	0	1	2	1	0
Monta lbo cf.	5	1	2	1	0	0
Drodowski rf.	5	0	4	0	1	1
Cruz 3b.	5	1	2	1	1	0
Calixto ss.	4	0	1	1	3	0
	43	5	15	27	11	1

By innings.
Shanghai .. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Fort Mills .. 1 0 0 2 0 0 1 1 0—5

Summary: Bases on balls off Birtulpo—3, off Scott—1. Struck-out by Birtulpo 8 by Scott—4. Hit by pitcher—Taylor. Home runs—Birtulpo, Two base hits—Platon, Montalbo. Double plays Calixto to Borowski, stolen bases Cruz 2. A. E. Taylor; left on bases—Shanghai, 5, Fort Mills, 2. Umpires—O'Brien and Clapp.

"B" Company British And Americans Win

Overseas and British Cups. The following is the result of the competition for the British and Overseas Cups held on Sunday, August 26, 1923.

OVERSEAS CUP

Unit	Troop Section Platoon etc.	Hits on Rectangle	Points at 12 per Hit	Unit Average	Order of Merit.
"B" Coy British	1	47	564	702	1
	2	70	840		
Customs Company	2	53	636	636	2
"A" Coy British	1	50	600	588	3
	2	48	576		
S'hai Scotfish	1	44	528	510	4
	2	41	492		
Machine Gun Coy	"A"	35	420	496	5
	"B"	34	408		
	"C"	40	480		
Light Horse	1	32	384	268	6
	2	9	108		
	3	26	312		

BRITISH CUP

American Company	1	69	828	620	1
	2	43	516		
	3	43	516		
Japanese Company	1	54	648	496	2
	2	34	408		
	3	36	432		
Chinese Company	1	38	456	441	3
	2	24	288		
	3	40	480		
	4	45	540		
Portugueses Coy	1	40	480	426	4
	2	40	480		
	3	27	324		
Customs Company	1	16	192	192	5

The correct ranges were as follows:

1st	Practice 450	Yards
2nd	" 300	"
3rd	" 400	"
4th	" 550	"
5th	" 650	"

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Japanese Marksman Wins British 303 Championships

H. Noisshiki Finishes With 321, Eleven Points More Than Sauer, His Nearest Competitor; Conditions And Scores Good

The third stage 900 and 1,000 yds. 15 shots at each distance. This was shot off yesterday at 6.30 a.m. The conditions were good, except at the 900 yds. the light was very bad and, it improved after the 6th shot. In spite of the bad light Sauer put up a fine score of 71 out of 75, followed by Noisshiki with 67 and Parry 63. Adding these scores with those of the first stage. Sauer and Noisshiki were leading with 254 each next came Waung with 250 and Luthy 246; Luthy had bad luck to fire a Bulleye (5 points) at the wrong target.

At the 1,000 yds. Collaco, Ransom and Noisshiki made fine score of 67 each, in spite of "tricky" wind, next came C. E. M. Thomson with 64, Luthy Langley and Lynch with 60 each, Waung and Neal with 58 each.

Adding these scores with those of the last stages Noisshiki won the Championship with 321 (2 points less than last year's record). Noisshiki was second in 1920 with 305. Sauer came a bad second with 310, but deserves great credit for his fine shooting in the final. He was 19th position in the 1st Stage, 9th in the 2nd stage and was leading after firing 900 yds. Waung was very steady, and shot very well. He was at the top at the 1st stage with 100, was 2nd in the 2nd stage with 189, 2 pts behind Luthy and 3rd in the final with 308, 2 pts behind the second man.

Dr. Ransom and C. Luthy (both veterans) were tied for the 4th place 306 In the shoot off Dr. Ransom won.

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Following are the results:

	yards 900	1000	Total
Last stage			
H. Noisshiki	67	67	134
W. E. Sauer	71	56	127
C. E. M. Thomson	55	64	119
Y. C. Waung	61	58	119
T. S. Parry	63	56	119
S. A. Ransom	51	67	118
G. Lynch	57	60	117
M. Iijima	60	57	117
C. J. Langley	56	60	116
C. Luthy	55	60	115
C. G. Hoh	59	56	115
B. MacDonnell	59	55	114
K. McKelvie	57	56	113
V. Sharman	57	55	112
A. M. Collaco	43	67	110
G. M. Neal	51	58	109
F. E. Hodges	49	52	101
W. O. Lancaster	39	51	90

FINAL STAGE

Names	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
H. Noisshiki	99	88	134	321
W. E. Sauer	91	92	127	310
Y. C. Waung	100	89	119	308
S. A. Ransom	95	93	118	306
C. Luthy	96	95	115	306
T. S. Parry	95	87	119	301
C. E. M. Thomson	92	88	119	299
G. Lynch	93	89	117	299
M. Iijima	93	88	117	298
V. Sharman	98	88	112	298
C. J. Langley	94	87	116	297
C. G. Hoh	99	83	115	297
K. McKelvie	95	87	113	295
G. M. Neal	89	94	109	292
A. M. Collaco	94	87	110	291
V. MacDonnell	90	87	114	291
F. E. Hodges	97	89	101	287
W. O. Lancaster	98	89	90	277

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Miss Mottu	net	70	
Mrs. Knight, cards not returned.			
Mrs. Denny cards not returned.			

MEN

T. Parry	net	94*	
R. Ito	"	93†	
M. Tsukasaki	"	92†	
H. Monde	"	92	
L. Mottu	"	91	
A Collaco	"	91	
W. Rose	"	91	
H. Noisshiki	"	91	
C. Langley	"	90	
V. Sharmen	"	90	
T. Mitchell	"	90	
A. Godby	"	89	
J. Rebsamen	"	87	
H. Tobias ....90—5	"	85	
H. Lambert ..89—5	"	84	
R. Martin	"	82	
H. Denny	"	79	

*Wins spoon.
†Counted out.

Second 10 rounds 5 bull Match Target.

LADIES

Mrs. Denny ..94—5	net	89‡	
Mrs. Knight	"	89	
Miss Mottu	"	83	
Miss Ito .....71—5	"	64	

‡Wins Spoon.

MEN

F. Hodges	net	97‡	
J. Rabsamen	"	95	
C. Ilbert	"	94	
M. Tsukasaki	"	94	
A. Collaco	"	93	
T. Parry ....97—5	"	92	
H. Denny	"	91	
H. Tobias ....95—5	"	90	
L. Mottu	"	90	
A Godby	"	89	
R. Martin 7	"	88	
H. Lambert ..82—3	"	87	
H. Mende	"	87	
R. Ito ....91—5	"	86	
C. Knight	"	86	
W. Rose	"	86	
W. Sharman	"	80	
T. Mitchell	"	80	

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The Kashing Experiment In Popular Education By Lowry Davis, M.A.

The Kashing High School feels itself fortunate to have been chosen as the experiment station for a new method of educating the masses. Mr. Y. C. James Yen, Y.M.C.A. National Secretary of Popular Education, came down to Kashing and by his great earnestness and enthusiasm induced our Faculty and students to undertake the running of two night schools for illiterates, using his "Thousand Foundation Character" books as texts and lantern slides as the method. The newness lay in the method, as the texts had already been experimented with in other places in China.

While toiling among the coolies in France the idea of one teacher teaching great numbers of pupils by means of lantern slides was suggested by the work there, and Mr. Yen felt convinced that for speed and effectiveness in educating in this generation the 320,000,000 illiterates in China, nothing could surpass this plan. After enlisting the full sympathy and support of the school, he presented his cause to the missionaries at the station, who unanimously approved of the experiment and expressed their faith in the method. Mr. Yen declared that this great educational enterprise must not stop with the mere opening of the doors of learning to the millions of China, but that through it the Kingdom of Christ should be made a reality to these same multitudes.

This experiment has been described in detail in one of the official Bulletins printed by the National Education Association of China especially for use at the International Educational Convention held in July at Oakland, California. Those interested should apply to the Commercial Press. Here a brief outline will suffice.

Recruiting Day. After several days of preparation through various kinds of posters, one afternoon the student body was organised into groups with responsible group leaders, carrying flags and enrollment books. The former Mayor Wang of Kashing had issued a special proclamation of approval, and had subscribed $25 for the campaign. So the way was made easy for the enrollment of hundreds of illiterates. Every workman, coolie, water carrier, gateman, cook, tailor, merchant, tinsmith, brass worker, laundryman, shop apprentice, and even small farmers outside the city of Kashing were accosted and made to realise their responsibility to themselves and their country in the light of the opportunity now within their grasp. It was astonishing to see the interest among these people. The Kashing High School chapel was filled to overflowing. So also was the South Gate Church where a second school was conducted by our faculty and students.

The Lantern Slide Method in Action. Four teachers of our regular school faculty did the formal instruction work, two at each school, taking it in turn every two weeks. Messrs. Wang Hsiu-fang and Chih Gyiang were in charge at the Kashing High School; Messrs. Zhi Yin-sen and Wang Fo-gyien at the South Gate. Every night at each center ten students assisted these instructors in various ways. In fact, student assistants, whose work should be counted as extra-curricular activities for which large school credit is given, are an important part of this lantern method.

Six nights a week at 7.30, after the shops had closed, and the work of the day was over, the various classes of illiterates came to our schools. For 40 minutes the entire lesson for the night was thrown on the screen. First appeared to the delight of every eye a picture illustrating the lesson. Then the teacher by skilful questions would draw out from the students the meaning of the picture. Then characters (the new ones greatly enlarged) were thrown on the screen for further illustration of the meanings. Thus scenes from the daily lives of the students were linked quickly and in this interesting scientific method with the the Chinese characters representing the scenes and the meanings. It was astonishing how quickly and how well these ignorant workmen learned 10 characters every night. Then the lights were thrown on and the students above mentioned, assisted the teacher by dividing the workmen into groups for further instruction and review. Slates were brought out and each man learned to write the characters he had seen enlarged on the screen. Each illiterate also had his own text book containing the lesson taught on the screen. This book he took to his shop and studied during spare moments. Every night the teachers and High School students thus formed friendships and found many points of personal contact with these men of the laboring class.

Gratitude of these Illiterates. Most refreshing was the genuine joy in study and gratitude to those who had furnished such an opportunity. So often the Oriental is considered phlegmatic. But this lantern method discovered hidden springs of responsiveness as real as those of an American child on Christmas morning. After only a few hundred characters had been mastered, some enthusiastic spirits attempted to write their thanks in the form of a crude Chinese letter addressed to the teachers. Another found some way to express his thanks in a short newspaper article. Particularly pleasing was the attitude of the men during the visits of Mr. Yen and his colleague, Mr. Daniel Fu, who made almost weekly visits for the purpose of supervision. After the first 100 characters were mastered, a button with the number 100 and the name of the school was presented each candidate by Mr. Yen. It was inspiring to see the students come forward in groups of five and receive their badges of scholarship.

Commencement Day. On July 21, after just four months of study, the students often coming through rain and mud, without umbrellas, and soaked to the skin, there was held in the Kashing City Hall the most remarkable graduation ever seen in the city. More than 700 people attended. Mayor Li, of Kashan, near Kashing, and Mr. Zen of the editional department of the Commercial Press, Shanghai, attended as special guests. More than 100 graduates received diplomas, having passed examinations in four books—a total of 1,000 characters—and attained higher grades than the average students in our high schools. The two mayors gave the diplomas. The literati of Kashing were present to see this spectacle—the high serving the lowly. All Kashing City is now aroused and has long since organised a special committee, with the richest man in the city as chairman, with the result that five schools using the lantern method will be taught in Kashing this autumn. Principal Fang, of the Girls Normal, showed special interest from the beginning, and after her first visit to the South Gate school contributed $10 toward the budget. The Kashing City Electric Light Company has proved particularly generous in donating all the electricity used by the lantern at the South Gate, besides contributing much of the electrical equipment necessary to the lighting of the Kashing City Hall.

Further results of the movement.

An extension school as a further experiment will be conducted in the Kashing High School in the autumn, for the graduates above mentioned.

A manual of instruction in Chinese, explaining minutely the entire experiment and pedagogy and method of the recitation, is now being prepared by the Kashing High School faculty, with Mr. S. K. Wong, Vice Principal, and Mr. Zao Kwe-hsin, Dean of the Chinese Department, as the leading spirits in the enterprise. This manual will be available later on for all centers using the lantern method.

On the basis of the Kashing experiment 500 schools using the lantern method will be established in Peking in September, with a goal per year of 150,000 illiterates made literate. At Nanking, Ningpo, Hangchow, Haining, and other places many schools are to be established. The Commercial Press has arranged to print 200 kinds of literature for this new reading public, with a range only of the 1,000 Foundation Characters.

The Kashing High School students as "correspondents" and Mr. Mao, a former graduate as editor, produced a special newspaper for these night classes called "The Commoner" and with a range of only 400 characters. The articles were intelligible to the readers after only two months of study, and covered such subjects as The Dignity of Labor, Patriotism, The Joy of Study, The Christian Church, etc. Think of "illiterates" reading their own Chinese newspaper, printed in the character, after two months study by the lantern method! This paper attracted the attention of the popular education campaign leaders in Chefoo, who ordered 1,000 copies for their students. For the Kashing Commencement a second edition of this paper, but with the range 1,000 characters, and covering a great variety of subjects, was especially prepared.

Many of China's educational and business leaders have visited Kashing during the last five months to study this experiment. Some of these were: Madam Hsiung, wife of the cabinet minister Hsiung Hsi-lin of Yuan Hsih-kai's time; Dr. W. T. Tao, Dean, National Southeastern University, Nanking; Mr. Kao, one of the executive managers of the Commercial Press Shanghai who came not only form personal interest but as the special representative of Dr. Hu Sut, leader of the literary revolution in China.

Mr. Yen was especially invited to address the Northern Presbyterian Mission while meeting at Hangchow in the spring on the subject of popular education, and captured that entire body for his cause. He proposed that some one organise a Christian Literature Society, using the 1,000 Foundation Characters only to produce all kinds of Christian literature for the masses of China.

Such a movement as the above, inaugurated by such an unselfish spirit as Mr. Yen, and backed by some of the most powerful forces for good in China, with such an exalted aim—the transforming of 320,000,000 illiterates into an intelligent reading public at whose command the best literature shall be made available at once—such a movement gives wonderful hope and courage to all friends of China. It is the duty of every friend of China to support this movement of patriotism, education, nationalism, and righteousness. The most fertile imagination cannot picture the possibilities for China, if within this generation 300,000,000 of her people awake to self consciousness through the Popular Education Movement, and really begin to think for themselves, directed by their own discovered leaders.

This Statue Is Cause Of $200,000 Suit

Mrs. Charles U. Lind

Mrs. Charles U. Lind, 20 and pretty, is preparing to sue Sterling Calder, New York sculptor, for $200,000. She alleges that after she posed for a sculptured study of her head and shoulders Calder attached the head to a nude figure, posed for by another model, and exhibited it. Her husband saw it, believed she had posed in the nude, left her and has refused to be reconciled.

Two Motorcycle Racers Killed In Hongkong Contest

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, August 27.—Mr. H. J. Hooper, who was injured in the motorcycle race at Tsinwan on Saturday, died today.

(Reuter's Service)

Hongkong, Aug. 25.—There was a serious accident in the hill climb and speed test competition for motorcycles at Tsinwan this afternoon, Mr. H. J. Hooper's Harley-Davidson skidded. Mr. Hooper lost control. It is feared that his skull is fractured.

(Reuter's Service)

Hongkong, Aug. 26.—Mr. H. S. Burleigh, late of the Taikoo Dockyard, who met with a serious accident in the hill climb and speed test competition for motorcycles at Tsinwan yesterday when he received a compound fracture of the leg, has succumbed to his injuries.

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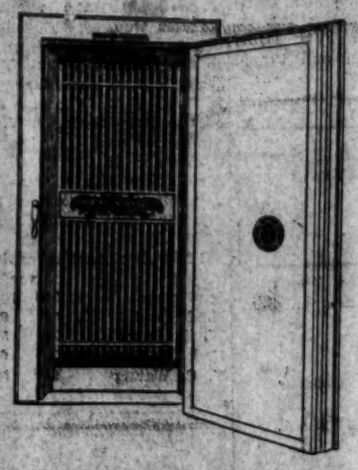

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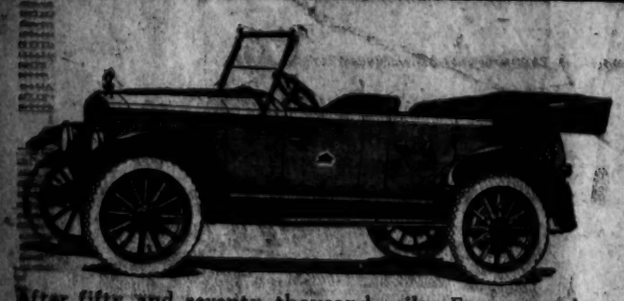

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Religious Maniac Assaulted Mission Workers And Converts

A painful aberration on the part of a missionary was revealed in the story told to Mr. R. S. Pratt, Vice Consul, sitting as Judge in H. B. M. Criminal Court, held at Gashatay, Inner Mongolia, on Wednesday, says the North China Daily Mail. Mr. Pratt went from Tientsin, accompanied by the Consular constable, in consequence of complaints received regarding the strange proceedings of Mr. George Thomas Wynes, a Canadian member of "Mongolia for Messiah" Mission which has a station at Gashatay, a place about 100 miles north of Kalgan.

It appears that Mr. Wynes had proved quite unsuitable as a missionary and had been recalled, but refused to go. He was addicted to violent outbursts of ill temper, and there were a number of charges of assault against him. The Court heard evidence on three specific charges, (1) of assaulting Mary Black, aged 8 and a girl named Monto about the same age, (2) assaulting Mr. Hindle, the head of the mission, (3) assaulting a foreign lady member of the mission.

Mary Black, a little Mongol girl who had been adopted by the mission, stated to the Court that she and Monto were learning a lesson in the garden, when, as she said, "I got vexed with my lesson and threw my slate on the ground." Mr. Wynes came out of the house, and the girls ran away, and hid behind Mr. Hindle, but Mr. Wynes chased them and boxed their ears.

The girl Monto describing the same scene said that when Mary threw down the slate, witness laughted. Mr. Wynes therefore struck her also, beating her over the head.

Mr. Hindle stated that the prisoner also assaulted him, and struck a lady missionary on the arm. He had committed repeated acts of violence and intimidation, and had assaulted his own wife.

The prisoner made no defence and asked no questions of the witness. He was found guilty on the three charges and sentenced to one month's imprisonment, with hard labor and was ordered to find security to be of good behavior for 12 months. He was brought down to Tientsin in custody on Thursday and is now serving his term of imprisonment in the Consular jail. His wife and child remain at the mission.

Although there is no evidence of insanity in Mr. Wynes's case, his conduct seems to point to that form of mental aberration known as religious mania.

Autumn Racing To Start Sept 22

With the opening of the autumn race season now less than a month away, the training season on the Shanghai Race Club Track will start on Saturday, after which date the inner course will be reserved for members only.

The initial meeting is scheduled for the Kiangwan track on Saturday, Sept. 22, when the Mid-Autumn Festival will be held, followed by the opening on the Shanghai track on Saturday, Oct. 6th with the Fourth Extra Race Meeting. Wednesday, Nov. 7th, is the date on which the Champions will be run over the Shanghai Track.

Following the inauguration of the training season next Saturday, the Loong-Fei entrance of the Public Recreation Ground will be closed and the Race Club's entrance will be available for pedestrians only during training hours.

The schedule for the fall season follows:

5th Extra Meeting, Oct. 13.
Autumn Meeting, Nov. 5, 6, 7 and 10.
6th Extra Meeting, Nov. 17.
Mid-Autumn Festival, Sept. 22.
101st Meeting, Sept. 25.
Anniversary of Chinese Republic, Oct. 10.
103rd Meeting, Oct. 27.
104th Meeting, Nov. 24.

Tennis Entries Close Next Week

Entries in the Men's Doubles Championship Tournament will close on Monday, Sept. 3, it is announced by Mr. C. E. Whitamore, Secretary and Treasurer of the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association, under whose auspices the local titular events are to be held.

The entry list in the Men's Singles Championship will close on the following Monday, Sept. 10, and prospective competitors must send in their names to Mr. Whitamore before these dates. Accompanying the entry should go the entrance fees of $5 for each pair in the doubles and $5 for each contender in the singles.

Recs' Tennis Teams Defeat Japanese

The Shanghai Recreation Club's tennis team defeated the Japanese Tennis Club's players on the Recs' grounds Sunday. Following were the results:

S. R. C. vs. J. T. C.

Wade and Ollerdessen won from Iwaki and Nakajima 6-1, 6-1, 6-2.
Manley and Manley won from Okazaki and Kojima 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.
Hawes and Sofoulis won from Noguchi and Hata 6-0, 6-3, 6-2.
Wilson and Smith won from Marita and Kimura 6-1, 6-4, 4-6.
Main and Veitch won from Yeyawa and Izumi 6-4, 6-3, 9-11.
Summary: S. R. C. 13, J. T. C. 2.

Tilden And Norton Are Tennis Champs, Australians Lose

(Reuter's Service)

Brookline, August 25.—In the final of the American Lawn Tennis Championship doubles Messrs. Tilden and Norton defeated Messrs. Williams and Washburn 3-6, 6-3, 6-3, 5-7, 6-2. The latter pair defeated the Australians, Messrs. Anderson and Hawkes, in the semi-final 7-1, 2-6, 6-2, 6-4.

In the final of the Women's tournament Mrs. Mallory defeated Miss McKane 6-2, 6-1.

Mr. Tilden and Mrs. Mallory retained the Mixed Doubles Championship by defeating Mr. Hawkes and Miss McKane 6-3, 6-2, 10-8.

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Messrs. H. D. Rodger, S. Moss, N. E. Lurton and R. C. Faithful appeared for the defendants. The case was remanded for a special hearing after Chief Detective Inspector Cruickshank had given testimony regarding the arrests. He stated that on August 12 he was informed by one of his Chinese detectives of suspicious movements on the part of a group of men assembled in an alleyway. The men were followed to a lodging house and the first three accused were arrested in a room in which three loaded pistols were found. The others were arrested in another room. The police believe that the accused are members of a gang which has accomplished several armed robberies and has been mixed up in several shooting affrays in the Settlement.

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The first authoritative account of the typhoon that swept the China coast on August 11, tracing the origin, direction and speed of the storm was issued today by the Siccawei Observatory. This report is as follows:

"It is not yet possible to give a detailed account of that storm, but it will be interesting for those who have experienced it to have at least some idea of its track, according to the telegrams received and the signals given day by day.

"The centre is shown, on our charts, for the first time, on Saturday 4th August, between Yap and Guam, and the first signal issued located it by lat. 12°, long. 142° with a probable direction towards NW. From that time, although there was another typhoon ahead, the present one was followed by daily signals, and on the 9th during the afternoon, it was reported to the SE of the Meiaco-Sima group, about lat. 22°, long. 127°, having advanced North-west ward during the five days, at the approximate rate of 8 miles an hour.

"On the 10th, at Ishigakijima, the pressure had fallen to 28.42 at 6 a.m. with a north hurricane; at noon the storm had shifted to SW and the barometric reading was 28.19, the minimum which stood at 27.95 having passed very near, during the interval. Another exact point of the track is supplied by the observations taken on board the s.s. Empress of Russia, Captain A. J. Hosken, bound from Hongkong to Shanghai. The minimum about 28.19 took place, on the 11th, at 11.30 a.m. by lat. 27°, long. 121°30' a perfect hurricane backing from NE to SW. We have thus a good approximation of the speed across the Eastern Sea, viz. 12 miles an hour in a NW direction.

Having landed, not far from Wenchow, the centre began to recurve more to NNW. Thanks to the observations taken on board the ss. Woosung, Capt. C. Williams, we can determine the passage, about 6 p.m. between Shanghai and Anking or rather Tung-lu pagoda, where the wind was backing from NNE to N and NW, while veering from ESE to SSE at the mouth of the Yangtze, where force 11 to 12 was experienced at Gutzlaf.

"At Chinkiang, the lowest reading observed at the Catholic mission took place about 8 a.m. on the 12th, the SE gale which had prevailed during the night, veering then to SW and decreasing. Stormy weather was experienced too on that day across the N of Kiangsu, for instance during the afternoon at the C. Mission of Haimi.

"The passage of the centre at the shortest distance of Tsingtao is given in the wireless report sent at once by Comd. Estova, of the French cruiser Colmar: it passed in the west, on the 13th, between 1 and 3 a.m. The E equalls had been hard on the 12th till 11 p.m.; the wind then veered to SW.

"Lastly Capt. F. W. Newbery of the ss. Hin-wah was good enough to send the report of his voyage from Newchwang to Chefoo. The storm passed in the SE, the N wind (force 10) backing to NW during the forenoon of the 13th while the steamer was by lat. 38° 28', long. 120°57. The centre had certainly recurved to NE, and it is quite probable to think that it was its approach that caused, in the Yalu Gulf, the tidal wave which swept the coasts of Korea, and made some 1000 victims according to the press.—The minimum must have continued to move away on land, and our map of the 14th places it a little to the N of Vladivostok, travelling across Manchuria in a NE direction."

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By order,
E. S. B. Rowe,
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Council Room,
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LOST

A native Order, No 7052, issued by the Zung Teh Bank, (存德莊) due 9th day, for Taels 300., has been lost.

The said Bank has been notified of the loss and ceased payment. The public are hereby warned against negotiating the same whenever forthcoming.

A similar notice also appears in the Shun Pao and Sin Wan Pao.

Chee Liang Tsze
奚良濟啓
61449 A 28

S.S. "PRESIDENT GRANT"

Arriving Shanghai August 25th, 1923. General Average

Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy, Cargo Surveyors will be present at the China Merchants Central Wharf from 9:00 A. M. to 12:00 noon on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday August 28th, 29th, and 30th, for the purpose of surveying damaged cargo ex the above steamer.

THE ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE,
AGENTS.
MANAGING AGENTS, U. S. SHIPPING BOARD
61473

FOOCHOW

The San Peh Co.'s Steamer "Ning Shin" Captain W. Vogeler, will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund Nantao, on Tuesday the 28th inst, at about 8.00 p.m. This Steamer has extra large cabins with all the conveniences of a mail Steamer, with observation saloons fore and aft. Excellent service and cuisine. Passage fare, Shanghai to Foochow, single $30 and return $48. For Freight or Passage, apply to the office of the Company, No. 1B Hankow Road. Telephones: Freight C. 1520 and Passage C. 3283.
61472 A 28

LOST

Coupon for 5 shares on share debenture Nos. 7916—7920 issued by the China Merchants Steam Ship Company under the name of Loo Chien Yih, Tung Chih Hospital, The Chinese Guild, Yokohama, was lost on board ship between Yokohama and Shanghai in the Second Year of the Chinese Republic. Report has been made to the company regarding the loss and new coupon for same issued to shareholder above-mentioned. The lost coupon, has been declared null and void.

Tung Chih Hospital,
The Chinese Guild,
Yokohama, Japan.
61353 A 30

LOST

LOST a bill of lading on the N.K.K. s.s. Tochang Maru voyage 734 from Changsha Via Hankow B/L No. 2. YC in diamond four packages old iron machine. The public is hereby warned against negotiating the same.

YUNG HO KUNG
英昇金號里第五十八號
61429 S.2

Hankow and Ports

The Hoong On S. N. Co.'s Steamer "Chang On" will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund, Nantao, on Tuesday the 28th August, at about 12 o'clock (midnight) Passage Money, Shanghai to Hankow, $40 single and $60 return. For Freight or Passage apply to office of the Company, 1B Hankow Road. Telephone: Freight 1520 and Passage 3283.
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61444 S.1

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General Average

Notice is hereby given that general average of 3% has been declared owing to fire which occured on board the S.S. "President Grant" while enroute between Yokohama and Kobe, necessitating the use of water and steam to extinguish.

THE ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE
MANAGING AGENTS,
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61385 A. 28.

REMOVAL NOTICE

On and after the 1st September, 1923, the Freight, Operating and Passenger Department of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Traffic Agents for the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., will be located in the new Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Building (North Corner, No. 12. The Bund. Telephones: Central 5581 (Private exchange to all Departments). 61335. S. 15.

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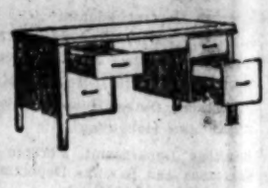

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61328.

Business and Official Notices

Chemins de Fer de Letat
Chinese Government Railways.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the public that arrangements are now in operation for through booking of passengers, registration of baggage and through conveyance of parcels and miscellaneous traffic between the principal stations on the following railways:—

Peking-Hankow Railway
Pienlo Railway
Lunghai Railway (East and West Sections)
Taoching Railway
Chongtai Railway
Peking-Suiyuan Railway
Pexing-Mukden Railway
Tientsin-Pukow Railway
Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway
Shanghai-Nanking Railway
Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo Railway.

Return Tourist tickets at reduced fares are also on sale from important stations on these lines to tourist resorts and places of interest.

Circular Tour tickets at reduced fares may also be obtained at the principal stations.

Reduced fares for parties travelling over these lines will be granted by special arrangement with the Traffic Manager.

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PEKING, AUGUST 1923.
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NOTICE OF REMOVAL

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61384 S. 4.

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55641

Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association

Men's Doubles
Men's Singles.

Entries for the Men's Doubles Championship will close on Monday, September 3rd and for the Men's Singles Championship on the following Monday, September 10th. Intending Competitors should send in their names accompanied by the entrance fees ($5 for each pair for Doubles and $5 for each competitor for Singles) to the undersigned on or before those dates.

C. E. Whitamore
Hon. Sec. and Treasurer
S. L. T. A.

H. B. M. Consulate-General
61420 S 1

SHANGHAI AMATEUR SWIMMING ASSOCIATION

The above Association hereby give notice that the Shanghai Championship for the following events will be held at the Shanghai Rowing Club, on August 31st and September 1st.

220 yards
880 "
100 " Back Stroke
Diving
Long Plunge.

Entries for the above will close at 4.30 p.m. Monday 27th, with Mr. R. L. Evans, c/o Municipal Electricity Dept
61327 A 28

Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

NOTICE

MUNICIPAL LOAN OF 1923

8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each
(issued at Tls. 97 each)

Rate of interest 6% per annum

The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May 1923.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:

1°.—The Debenture Certificates are transferable, and the person whose name is entered in the Register of Debenture Certificate or Certificates, shall alone be recognised and treated by the Council as the lawful and rightful holder and owner of such Debenture Certificate or Certificates.

2°.—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 97 each.

3°.—The Debentures will be redeemable at par (Tls. 100 each) in not less than 10 years and not more than 30 years, from 1st December 1933 and according to the figures determinated by the Council.

4°.—The Debentures will bear interest at 6% per annum, payable on the 31st day of May and 30th day of November in each year, when interest warrants will be issued to the registered owners,

5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next.

A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council,
Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By order,
P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.

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Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

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(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

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Paid-up Capital	$19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund	$ 6,033,345.41

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Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
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Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

華商浙江實業銀行 The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$300,000.00
Undivided Profits	$120,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office, C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address: "CHINDUBANK," Shanghai.

華商永亨銀行 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon
LONDON, BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

K. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars.	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire	16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver	$150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise of Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompts de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Bale.
Len and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies, Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.

C. MARMONT.
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers.

Passengers Arrived

Per C. N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Mrs. MacLeod, Miss Beynur, Messrs. Lee, W. J. Brebuns.
Per C. N. s.s. Yingchow from Swatow: Mrs. P. Q. Richardson and son.
Per C.N. s.s. Shantung from Hongkong: Mrs. Kinghorn and three children, Mr. Ironside.
Per S. P. s.s. Ningshin from Foochow: Misses Spencer, Seyer, Mrs. Fisher and children, Messrs. Karol, Peaman, Klegin.
Per I-C s.s. Loongwo from Hankow: Miss F. L. Rudge, Mrs. W. Tornroth, Messrs. Jareym G. D. Grant, Statz: from Kiukiang: Misses Moosa, Solomon, Williams, Danton, Yellow, Stark, Bracford, Rev. H. S. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dovey, Mrs. Richardson and child, Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Wiss, Messrs. J. C. Dixon, Mansfield.
Per C.M. s.s. Kiangteen from Hankow: Messrs. A. Hansen, H. Hansen.
Per C.N. s.s. Woosung from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Demange and children; from Kiukiang: Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ohman, Misses Maidran, King, Ingersole, Capt Butland, Mr P. H. Nye; from Chinkiang: Surg. Lt. Comdr. Haynes.
Per P. & O. s.s. Mantua from London and ports; Messrs. J. Andrews, Bateman, W. A. Bailey, A. Child, A Cursham, Misses Chang, Chem Kim-fong, Mr. E. W. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Etterley and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Gunn, Mr. Ghadelwalaz, Lieut. A. Hill, Messrs. A. Hill, R. Harding, H. E. Jones, Miss Jeffrey, Mr. Kanamori, Mr. Kuo, Messrs. Lillie, Low Siew San, Misses Lai Kang-mai, Lee Ying, G. W. Meech, E. Makeham, A. D. Masters E. McLachlin, Messrs. G. Millis, D. R. MacLarlane, Mujiana, H. T. McNeil, J. McArthur, E. Nilson, Mr. and Mrs. Popple and infant, Mrs M Plukovsky, Mrs. C. Roesholm, Mr. and Mrs. Railton, Messrs. W. Royston, G. R. Stemp, R. Shroff, Mr and Mrs. Sarkari, Miss Sutton, Messrs. A. S. Thompson, Tamera, A Wedblad, Warner R. White, W. Woodman, Mrs. and Miss Ward, Miss Wilks, Mrs. S. Yeaters, Mr. H. Yu, Mrs. and Miss Zima, Miss H. Zima.
Per C. P. S. s.s. Empress of Australia from Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. L. Bergheim, Miss E. Gibbison, Mrs. K. Fitterley and infant, Mr. T. Kimura, Miss H. B. Kamor, Messrs. N. Lees-Smith, A. Lafunte, Mrs. P. A. McGrath, Sir J. Kothari, Miss F. A. Reay, Mrs. Saxtos, Miss L. and Master J. Saxtos, Messrs. F. A. Sieforth, C. R. Slowe, E. Tamburia Mr. and Mrs. E. Watson, Mrs. R. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson, Mr. Fau Yot-tai, Mrs. Fan Chit-loong, Messrs. G. S. Huang, H. B. Kung, Shun Gee Qual, Tai Hou Nam, K. Y. Wo(Young Yet Tai, Wong Fong Mrs. Lan, Mrs Lau, Dr. and Mrs. Luk, Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Wong, Mr. and Mrs. Yeung Tso-ngai, Misses M. Beard, L. B. Coress, M. C. Elmore, C. W. Gibson, Mr. John Garal, Mr. S. W. and Master A. Lopes, Mrs. M. Patterson, Mrs. J. and Master M. Wilson, Miss J. Wilson, Mr. C. G. Wannamaker; through passengers: Mr. R. Figar, Miss A. Lamond-Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. A Lludding, Messrs. E. M. Payne, T. F. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor, Messrs. D. S. McDonald, W. W. Whacher, C. Whaen.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1918)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$200,000.00

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Telephone Numbers ..... C. 1929 Manager's Office. C. 6468) C. 5469) General Office. C. 4470) C. 5620 T. T. Department.

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Canton	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

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Y. B. Sun, Manager.
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

K. P. CHEN
General Manager

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$880,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin,
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Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
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Credits granted on approved securities.
Savings Department.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.
Bankers.
New York National City Bank,
Westminster Foreign Bank (London),
Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco

L. C. WAI,
Manager
36 Kiangse Road

Steamers Arrived

Aug. 25—Ghildar from C'tao
Aug. 25—Shantung from H'kong
Aug. 25—Hsinkong from Tientsin
Aug. 26—H. N'shao from Ningpo
Aug. 26—H. Peking from Ningpo
Aug. 26—Shinping from T'tsin
Aug. 26Yungshing from N'chwang
Aug. 26—Unkai M. 6 from C'tao
Aug. 26—Trieste from Japan
Aug. 26—Hsinming from T'tsin
Aug. 26—Ambrose from cruise
Aug. 26—Chinkiang from C'foo
Aug. 26—Loongwo from Hankow
Aug. 26—Changon from H'kow
Aug. 26—Chungking from H'kow
Aug. 26-Nanyang M. from H'kow
Aug. 26—Kwangtah from H'kong
Aug. 26—Ningshin from F'chow
Aug. 26—Tsenglee from Dairen
Aug. 26—Patroclus from Dairen
Aug. 26-Shinlee from Foochow
Aug. 26E. of A'tralia from H'kong
Aug. 26—Fuhchong from .....
Aug. 26—Chusan from Antung
Aug. 26—Aso Maru from Japan
Aug. 26-Shansi from Swatow
Aug. 27—Yamashiro M. from Jap
Aug. 27—Taiyo M. from Japan
Aug. 27—Kyokuto M. from C'tao
Aug. 27-Sakaki M. from Dairen
Aug. 27-Shinon from C'tao
Aug. 27—Taisang from H'kong
Aug. 27—Trafalgar from .....
Aug. 27—Woosung from Hankow
Aug. 27—Kiangteen from H'kow
Aug. 27-Yohyang M. from H'kow
Aug. 27-Huaming from Chefoo
Aug. 27—Naneric from H'kong
Aug. 27-Kohoku M. from F'chow
Aug. 27—Mantua from London
Aug. 27—Shanghai M. from Jap.
Aug. 27—Tingsang from T'tsin
Aug. 27-Liverpool M. from Europe
Aug. 27—Fooshing from T'tao
Aug. 27—Unkai M. from C'tao

Steamers Departed

Aug. 25—Suwa M. for Europe
Aug 26—Tehhsing for Hankow
Aug 26—Whangpu for Hankow
Aug. 26—Tsiangtah for Hankow
Aug. 26—Siangyang M. for H'kow
Aug. 26-Tungchow for W. C. T.
Aug. 26—Haean for Foochow
Aug. 26—Toonan for N'chwang
Aug. 26—Peihua for Tientsin
Aug. 26—Teli for T. Dairen
Aug. 26—Irene for Swatow
Aug. 26—Proteus for Vladivostok
Aug. 26-Emp. of Asia for H'kong
Aug. 26-C. of Glasgow for Europe
Aug. 26—Tungshing for S. H. C.
Aug. 26—Sunland for Dairen
Aug. 27—Kiangyung for Hankow
Aug. 27-Yunghsing for N'chwang
Aug. 27—Hupeh for Swatow
Aug. 27—Altair for Cruise
Aug. 27—Kronviken for C'tao
Aug. 27—Agamemnon for Europe
Aug. 27-P. Grant for H., Manila
Aug. 27—E. of Australia for V.
Aug. 27—Kaiping for C'tao
Aug. 27-Moorish Prince for N.Y.
Aug. 27—Hwahting for C'tao
Aug. 27—H. Peking for Ningpo
Aug. 27—H. N'shao for Ningpo

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,120
Chartered	£19½
Russo-Asiatic	None
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$620 B.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$230 B.
Yangtsze	H.$27
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 19 B.
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$128 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$475 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$125 S.
Indo-China Pref.	H.$37½ B.
"Shell"	67/9
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 79½
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 52 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	⅝. 21 B.
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	$4¾ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$141 S.
Shanghai Dock	⅛. 91½
New Eng. Works	Tls. 7 B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5¼ B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 196
Hongkong Wharf	H.$158½ B.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
Shanghai French Land	Tls. 121 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 120
Jarman Ltd	Tls. 53 S.
Cotton Mills	
Ewo (ord.)	$12½
Ewo (pref.)	Tls. 110 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 79
Industrials	
Asiatic	Tls. 40
Butler Ties	$217½ B.
China Sugar	$28¾ B.
Green Island	Tls. 30½
Langkats	Tls. 5
Major Bros.	Tls. 92½
Yhai Sumatra	
Stores	
Ball and Holtz	$6¾ B.
Lewelyn	$42½
Jane Crawford	$102 B.
Kentrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$21 B.
Weeks	$18
Canberra (local)	
China	Tls. 7½ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.60
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6.85 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3.32½ B
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23 B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.20 S.
Batu	Tls. 0.77½ B.
Sukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1¼ B.
Bremor United	Tls. 1.17½ B.
Bhempodak	Tls. 6¾ B.
Cheng	Tls. 1¾ B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.90 B.
Dominion	Tls. 2.60 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 14 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 12 B.
Karan	Tls. 7.10 B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.35 B.
Koh Bahroe	Tls. 1.30 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 16
Padang	Tls. 6.70 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.35 B.
Permata	Tls. 3¼ B.
Repah	Tls. 0.95 B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.95 B.
Seekees	Tls. 1¼ B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.47½
Senawang	Tls. 1.27½
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.65 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 4¾ B.
	Old 9½ B.
	New 9 B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 1.05 B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1½ B.
Sungala	Tls. 10 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 3.60
Sua Manggis	Tls. 0.75B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.77½
Taiping	Tls. 0.85 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 1.52½
Tebong	Tls. 3½ B.
Zinghee	
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 525
Cathy Dairy	Tls. 14
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 155 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 40
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 71½ B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 171

B. sellers Bs. buyers n. Buyers

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, August 27, 1923

UNOFFICIAL

Langkats Comb. Tls. 31.00 Sept. Tls. 32.50 Dec.

Consolidated Tls. 2.95

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Money Exchange

Shanghai, August 27, 1923

Mex. Dollars' market rate..72.1

Native Interest 08

Copper Cash 249.000

Shanghai Gold Bar 340.60

Bar Silver 30⅞

Bank rate of Discount .. 3%

Paris on London 80.60

New York on London 455½

London—

Telegraphic Transfer 3/0½

Demand 3/0⅝

New York—

Telegraphic Transfer 69¼

Demand 69½

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank

Open quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3/0½
London (Demand)	3/0⅝
London 4 m-s	3/0⅝
India (T.T.)	228½
France (T.T.)	1215
America (T.T.)	69¼
Hongkong (T.T.)	74¾
Japan (T.T.)	71
Batavia (T.T.)	181¾
Straits (T.T.)	77

BANKS' BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits	3/1⅝
London 4 m-s Docts	3/2
London 6 m-s Credits	3/2¼
London 6 m-s Docts	
France 4 m-s	1265
America 4 m-s L/c	71¾
Docs	72¼

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates

@ 70½ = Tls. 141.84

@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $196.18

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate

@ 7/1¼ = Tls. 6.44

@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $8.91

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR AUGUST

Hk. Tls. 5.86	@ 3/0⅝	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.28	@ 70	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1183	Fr. 13.18
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Mark —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 70¼	Yen 1.59
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 226½	Rupees 2.52
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15.62	Ital. Lire 17.41

International Banking Corporation

CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America 69⅜

Demand buying on America 70½

Demand selling on London 3/0½

Demand buying on London 3/1¼

ROUBLE EXCHANGE

BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roubles 500,000 ....Tls. 100

Roubles 100 .....Mex. $0.03

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Bank's Selling Rates

It. Lire 15.70 = 1 Tael

Swiss Frs. 3.78 = 1 Tael

Marks 1.300.000 = 1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations

It. Lire 105.00 = 1 Pound Sterling

It. Lire 23.05 = 1 U. S. Dollar

It. Lire 131.65 = 100 Fr. Francs

CHINESE GOV. BONDS

(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Saturday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	93.50	93.50
5th Year 8%	56.00	56.00
7th Year 6%	46.05	46.00
9th Year 6%	66.70	66.85
6% Consolidated	50.00	50.00
7% Consolidated	58.00	58.00
11th Year 8%	98.00	98.00
96 Millions 8%	24.30	24.00

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, August 27, 1923

OFFICIAL

S. M. C. 7% Debs. 1922 Tls. 104.00

S. M. C. 6% Debs. 1923 Tls. 100.00

New Eng. (Ord.) Tls. 7.35 Dec.

UNOFFICIAL

New Eng. (Ord.) Tls. 7.35 Dec.

S'hai Pahangs Tls. 1.05

Batu Anams Tls. 1.12½

Anglo Javas Tls. 7.15 Dec.

Butes Tls. 0.82½ Oct.

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

August 27, 1923

Spot bar silver was up 3-16d and forward ¼d in London on Saturday. The New York price advanced to 62⅝ cents and the London-New York cross rate declined to 455½. Our official Sterling rate here today was raised to 3-0⅝, the Gold Dollar rate to 69¼, the Yen rate dropped to 71 and the other rates changed accordingly.

Our market at the opening was inclined to be firm but eased off during the day. At one time a small amount of Sterling was done at 3s. 0⅝d. for August, 3s. 0 1/16d. for September and 3s. 0⅝d. October-November. Gold Dollars were done at 69¾ for near delivery and 69½ for forward.

However, later in the day there were strong buyers at these rates and at the close there were no sellers of Sterling at better than 3s. 0 1/16d. for August, 3s. 0⅝d. for September and 3s. 0⅞d. for October-November.

The best sellers of Gold Dollars were offering 69⅝ for near delivery and 69½ for forward. There were sellers of Yen at 70¼ for near delivery and 3s. 0⅝d. for forward.

Banks were quoting 3s. 1¼d., 71¼d. and 1255 for Sterling, Gold Dollars and Franc bills respectively.

China bought silver in London on Saturday and the market is reported as uncertain at the close. New York report their market as steady.

S.lk Market

In their weekly report on the silk market, Messrs. William Little and Company write as follows:

White Silk.—The market continues quiet, with a steadier undertone.

Tsatlee Filatures.—Kung Kee Mars. 1. Tls. 810.

Tsatlee New Style.—Blue Serpent and Bruncho Ex. 1, 2, Tls. 1,030 to Tls. 1,037½ av. Atlas No. 1, Tls. 1,035 av. Blue Horse 1, 2, Tls. 980 av. Ostrich Ex. 1, Tls. 495 av.

Steam Filatures.—Some more interest has been displayed at irregular prices.

Yellow Silk.—Purchases have been effected in Shantungs Chappa, Tls. 650. L. S. D. Tls. 645.

Tussah Filatures.—News from the north reports considerable damage done to the new crop by the recent storms.

Cables from Japan report a firmer market, Shinshu No. 1 Y. 1,880.

EXPORTS

From June 1 to date, 1,941 bales white and 2,176 bales yellow.

Steam filatures to Europe, 4,229 bales, and America 3,717 bales.

Yellow steam, 497 bales.

Wild silk to Europe, 128 bales, and America 1,963 bales.

SETTLEMENTS

Settlements for Europe, etc. Whiet silk, 1,500 piculs, and Yellow silk, 2,500 piculs.

Settlements for America, White silk, 1,000 piculs.

Stocks in Shanghai, White, 1,500 piculs, and Yellow, 2,500 piculs.

Visible supply for season to date, 9,000 piculs.

Stocks in Shanghai, Wild silk, 100 piculs.

SHIPMENTS

The silk shipment which went forward on the P. and O. steamer Devanha from Shanghai on July 21, arrived in Marseilles at 8 p.m. August 24.

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Hughes Opposed To Railway Guard Plan, Peking Hears

Peking, Aug. 26.—It is reported that U. S. Secretary of State Hughes has telegraphed to Dr. J. G. Schurman, American Minister at Peking, instructing him to oppose the British proposal for the protection of China's railways.

Mr. Chen Lu, Minister at Paris, is reported to have cabled to the Waichiaopu, stating that in an interview on Thursday, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs expressed his opposition to the reported railway protection proposal recently submitted to the Diplomatic Corps at Peking by the British Minister. The message adds that the French Government expects that China will conduct a thorough reform of her railway administration of her own accord.

General Munthe, who was appointed by the Ministry of Communications to train the railway police on Saturday, resigned the same evening.

It is reported that General Munthe was exasperated by the refusal of the Ministry of Communications to entertain his proposal for the training of a police force of 15,000 men with 4,000 reserves on the ground that the scheme was too expensive.

General Munthe, it is understood, also takes exception to the appointment of General Wang Keng as Assistant to Mr. Sun Tao-yu, Chief of the Railway Police Department.

Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on August 21, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	"	18-30
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-35
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	40-50
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	"	50-60
Mackerel	"	25-30
Pomfret	"	25-30
Salmon	"	20-25
Sami	"	none
Soles	"	20-25
Whitebait	"	25-30
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	"	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Plover	"	none
Quail	"	none
Snipe	"	18-20
Teal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	"	60-80
Wild Pigeon	"	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Appos	"	10-15
Banana	"	7-8
Chestnuts	"	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Figs	per doz.	5-8
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	"	9-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	"	$1.00-$1.20
Peaches	per lb.	10-15
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	"	20-40
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	none
Peeboes	"	none
Plums	"	10-14
Pumeloes	each	10-15
Pineapples	"	10-11
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	8-10
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	none
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Bread Beans	per lb.	6-8
Cabbages	each	10-15
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	5-6
French Beans	"	18-20
Peas	"	none
Tomatoes	"	6-8
Leeks	per bunch	5-6
Parsnips	"	3-4
Potatoes	per picul	$1.50-$2.00
Radishes	per picul	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	2-3
Spinach	per lb.	6-8
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.25
Flour Shanghai	"	$2.50
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.00
Barley	"	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$14.00
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	19.50
House Coal	"	17.20

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Weather Report

Remarks on the 26th.—High pressures over central China and to the east of Nippon. The typhoon is crossing Manchuria NE ward. Another low center is probably advancing NW ward over the Pacific Ocean. Southerly winds over our coasts. Variable breezes in the south. Fine and hot weather in China.

Morning of the 27th.—Fine weather. Pressure almost normal and steady. Light southerly breezes.

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WEATHER

Fine and hot weather. Unsteady winds along the China coast. The typhoon of the Pacific, to the South-East of the Loochoos, will advance slowly North-Westward. A low center is developing near the Pratas, and may possibly threaten the Kwangtung coast.

The center, located near the Pratas, is advancing North-North-Westward and threatens the coast between Hongkong and Swatow. A secondary low center has apparently reached the South of the Eastern Sea, between Naha and the Melaco-simas.

World Business Conditions

EXCEPT for the situation created by the French occupation of the Ruhr, business throughout the world appears to be on the up-grade according to surveys issued by the National Bank of Commerce of New York and other reliable authorities to the end of July. In the United States the position is particularly good, and this is important news for China because of the increasing trade between the two great republics of the Pacific.

Favorable factors continue to outweigh the unfavorable according to most reports and good business is predicted for the Autumn. In America there is full employment at high wages. In fact the only complaint given relates to high wages and their effect on the costs of production.

Retail trade is active and well-sustained and wholesale trade is normal. This is evident from the continued high record of the combined car loadings of miscellaneous freight and of less than carload lots. Excessive stocks either of raw materials or of finished goods have not been accumulated. The expectation is for good crops. Credit is available and money rates promise fair stability. Business is getting steadily better in South America and Australia. There is some improvement in India and awaiting for Germany there is also betterment in Europe as evidenced by improving food production and lessened unemployment.

It would be unwise to overlook the unfavorable factors. They are rising labor costs, the low prices of farm products and uncertainty as to the outcome of the deadlock in the Ruhr.

The immediate problem is the situation in the Ruhr. With a continuance of the deadlock there, the development of affairs in Germany must be progressively toward chaos and disorganisation. The effect on American export markets notably for wheat, pork products, copper and cotton must be adverse. The powers most intimately concerned with a solution of the Ruhr problem have so much at stake as to afford grounds for the belief that their impasse which has been reached will result in a solution of the issues involved.

Recognising the favorable and the unfavorable factors in the situation, the world outlook is for good business for the remainder of 1923 and expectation of its continuance into 1924.

It's an ill wind that blows nobody good. John D. gave all the kiddies a nickel each instead of a dime on his 84th birthday and the price of gas in Shanghai was reduced to 75 cents.

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A Massachusetts preacher says the church today is too busy getting people into Heaven. We didn't have the least suspicion that that many were getting there.

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And now Henry Ford is going to spend $7,000,000 gold for publicity, which reminds us of the old gag about carrying news to Newcastle.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"Business men of today hate the word 'duty.' Their slogan is 'I should worry and try to get by with it'".—Rev. Fred Gielow.

"Some men achieve greatness; some are born to greatness—whilst others marry blondes."—Laurel Gray.

"If the young idea keeps spreading the hand that rocks the cradle must almost manipulate golf clubs or a tennis racket."—Robert Edgren.

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Aside from the fact that we've been studying the specie Shanghailander and his life for a year and a half now we still get a kick out of reading in a cricket account that "the start was desultory, only 40 runs being scored in the first hour." Poor Babe Ruth!

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Some scientists in the wilds of Kamchatka saw an ancient dinosaur, hairier and bulkier than four elephants, lurching down the ravine sweeping big rocks aside like pebbles with a 700 pounds moose in its jaws. We didn't know they served absinthe frappes in Kamchatka.

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Political disturbances in China are only temporary says the Chinese Charge d'Affaires in London. Let's see, the revolution was only back in 1911 wasn't it?

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WISTARIA

Clouds dream and disappear;
Waters dream in a rainbow and are gone;
Fire-dreams change with the sun
Or when a poppy closes;
But now is the time of year
For the dark earth, one by one,
To show her slower dreams. And nothing she has ever done
Has given more ease
To her perplexities
Than the dreaming of dreams like these:
Nor irises,
Not any spear
Of lilies or cup of roses,
But these pale, purple images,
As if, from willows or from pepper trees,
Shadows were gleaming on the Buddha's knees

—Witter Bynner.

IMA HOOT NANNY

Miss Ima Hoot Nanny, who mixed Singapore gin-slings like a native Singaporean, says that Europe couldn't hold Uncle Sam any more strictly accountable than if he was the Weather Man.

Yes, Little Garlic-san, speaking merely from the male point of view we'd say that a wise woman wouldn't even pretend to trust her hubby—it might give him strange ambitions.

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Larry

Correspondence

BRITAIN'S POLICY IN PALESTINE

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

SIR: A Reuter's telegram from Paris says that "unless Great Britain consents to modify her Palestine policy, the King of Hedjaz would not be able to sign the Arab-British treaty." This is nothing new or startling to warrant its being flashed by wire. For weeks and months the Arabs have been plotting against the King of Hedjaz because of his approval of the draft treaty excluding Palestine from the zone of Arab influence. In the text of the treaty which was made known a few months ago, the points which mainly aroused Arab opposition were those which relate to Palestine. The treaty secures the independence of the Hedjaz, Transjordania and Iraq, and with regard to Palestine, stipulates that nothing should be done which will endanger the civil or religious rites of the Arab population.

The mere fact that Reuter has quoted the Daily Express regarding the foregoing stale news shows that Lord Beaverbrook's anti-Semitic ardour and his determined opposition to Britain's policy in Palestine has not cooled down. The Daily Express and the Daily Mail have been persistently inciting the recalcitrant Arabs to oppose the Palestine Mandate. Somehow the latter have been encouraged to believe that public sentiment is not behind the British government in its Palestine policy; hence the demand of King Hussein for a change in order to nullify the Balfour Declaration. Those who have studied Near East politics could hardly fail to realise that the Mandate does not give Great Britain the right to make its own conditions for the government of Palestine. She cannot alter the terms of the Mandate to suit the anti-Zionist propagandists in England and elsewhere. Palestine must be governed in accordance with the conditions set forth in the mandate, which is an instrument issued by the League of Nations, and only the League of Nations may alter the conditions under which Great Britain should govern Palestine. The Balfour Declaration is an inseparable part of the mandate. The Mandate cannot be accepted and the Declaration rejected. That this is so, is conceded by the Colonial Minister, the Duke of Devonshire, who replied to his critics in the House of Lords on June 27, 1923, as follows:

"Occasionally people are heard to speak of the Balfour Declaration as though it were something we could take up or lay aside to suit our own convenience. The Mandate is not merely a national, but an international obligation, and the Balfour Declaration is the basis on which we accepted from the Allied Powers our position as the Mandatory for Palestine. We should be taking grave risks, not only with regard to Palestine but the other Powers, if we should resign that trust."

The right of the Jews to make Palestine their National Homeland has been conceded by the League of Nations and no agitation against it will thwart the age-long aspirations of the Jewish people. "If Palestine is to be restored, to quote ex-Premier Mr. Lloyd George in a brilliant article in the "Daily Telegraph" of last month, "to a condition even approximating to its ancient prosperity, it must be by settling Jews on its soil. The condition to which the land has been reduced by centuries of the most devastating oppression in the world is such that restoration is only possible by a race that is prepared for sentimental reasons to make and endure sacrifices for the purpose."

Sir Martin Conway, M. P., representing the University of London district in Parliament, has recently returned from a trip to Palestine, full of enthusiasm for the work of the Jewish colonists and the pioneers there. He declared that every Jew settling in Palestine becomes an ally of England. Without the Jews, England would be faced there with a hostile population that will demand immediate independence. Similar impressions were also gained by Lord Milner, who visited Palestine recently. He said that the Arabs are being misled by a group of people who are enemies of England and who spread malicious lies about the English administration among the ignorant population.

No, England who went to Palestine with an open mind, will not nullify the Balfour Declaration in order to please the busybodies and a backward race. She could not if she would and would not if she could. I am, etc.

N. E. B. Ezra,
Shanghai, August 27, 1923.

The Truth About The Harbin Land Coup

That the whole question of the Chinese Eastern Railway is about to become a world issue again, as in the days of the Allied intervention in Siberia five years ago, need no longer be doubted. And as the question of the railway lands at Harbin has brought to a head various phases of the dispute it is well first to tell the truth about this business writes a correspondent of the Far Eastern Times.

Three months ago (not three weeks, mark well, but three months) Dr. C. C. Wang, President of the Chinese Eastern Railway, received telegraphic instructions, from Mukden in response to his numerous memorials, to investigate the question of the railway land at Harbin and devise a suitable plan for putting a stop to a scandal. Instead of taking action he put the telegram in a drawer and left it there. That he had received such a message was known to the local Chinese authorities: that he was averse to taking action, owing to friction between himself and General Chu Ching-lan, Commander of the railway guards and Chief Executive officer, was also suspected. At the end of July, being sick and knowing well that M. Karakhan was about to leave Moscow, he suddenly took the telegram out of his drawer, attached a short memo to it and sent the Cover to General Chu Ching-lan, leaving the same night himself for a health resort along the Chinese Eastern Railway. General Chu Ching-lan, always energetic simply did the obvious thing: he went to the land office and informed them that in response to instructions he would have to take over from August 1. Thereupon the whole play of the Russo-Asiatic Bank, the foreign Consuls and the Washington Resolutions was set in motion, as by one turn of the crank, and new variation of the perpetual Far Eastern Stalemate speedily produced. Beyond that there is nothing worth writing.

But the facts behind the facade are extremely interesting. The amount of land included in the railway area is 105,000 dessiatins (or 250,000 acres) of which 68,000 dessiatins is still unoccupied. 22,500 dessiatins is being used for strictly railway purposes, while 15,000 dessiatins has been rented out by the railway to private persons or companies. It is impossible to form an estimate of the general value of the land owing to the great differences in price which varies according to the location. But putting the figure at the extremely low rate for agricultural land in China of $50 a mow, then it may be said that these million and a half mow have a minimum gross value of $75,000,000. This shows the magnitude of the affair. Moreover by renting out 15,000 dessiatins to private persons or companies, the Railway Administration has plainly violated paragraph 6 of the original 1896 agreement which declared that land might be acquired by the Chinese Eastern Railway only for its own requirements. Furthermore the fact that the net revenue of the land office has suddenly gone up from gold rubles 839,792 in 1921 to gold rubles 1,965,922 in 1922, a rise of 120 percent, and that 1923 was expected to yield three millions net shows what is going on. With Gondatti, the former Imperialist Governor-General of the Amur province, at the head of this office and with Ostrumoff, the General Manager of the Railway, always at his elbow or on the telephone, it can be guessed who is making money over these huge land transactions. In a word it is believed in Harbin that this is one of the giant leaks which the commission of accountants sent up by the Ministry of Communications know nothing about and which is making Ostrumoff rich. To have a general manager of a railway dabbling in every conceivable thing and really only responsible to a bank in Paris—since they appointed him is to invite trouble.

From the land question to the general question of the Chinese Eastern Railway is indeed but one step. The whole management today is rotten, with "squeeze" a highly organised industry,—supported by the Washington Resolutions. The system of dual control, with a 50: 50 Board of Chinese and Russian Directors sitting in Harbin, invented by the 1920 Provisional Agreement is not only farcical but actually criminal. In any case the Board of Directors have not met for four months now there are ten of them each getting ten thousand dollars a year and most of them former clerks, Russian or Chinese. Whenever they meet they simply ratify what the General Manager has already accomplished, for he is intelligent enough never to bring a subject up until he has already acted, thus making repudiation impossible since the money has already been spent,—which is the only point that matters to them or anyone else. In such circumstances a financial system has been evolved, with a discounting in advance of freight chequer and Delivery Orders and a placing of contracts which would make even the most expert Texas oil operator's jaw drop from envy. The railway is corrupt from top to bottom,—the whole system is wrong and disgraceful. And one of the most ironical things is that the worse it becomes the harder it is to change anything since for political reasons under the Washington Agreements, the two great rivals America and Japan are committed to maintaining the status quo and preventing at all cost any change.

But will not the coming of Karakhan wreak a change? I do not know. He is reported to be keen on a shift of Directors at Harbin as a first step. But everyone with a knowledge of the facts is convinced that the total abolition of a board of Directors in Harbin is the only first step necessary, since this Board never existed in the old days. Whether Russia has a majority or equality is utterly unimportant compared with the need for putting in an honest Russian General Manager, who will be responsible to a control Board in Peking on which Russia and China will be adequately represented and which should not number more than four or five senior and responsible men.

There should be nobody in Harbin except the Chinese President of the railway and the Russian Manager. All the activities of the railway other than railway transportation should be liquidated through a Disposals Board. There is a war song which has an ever-recurring and very doleful refrain to the effect that old soldiers never die. The song of songs in Harbin is that Tsarism and corruption will never die so long as the Chinese Eastern Railway and the Russo-Asiatic Bank are locked in their present immoral embrace, with China ostensibly cuddling them both and silly trying to pick their pockets.

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More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

"Perhaps," he said, "when I've departed,
To wait upon some other sphere,
You will be lonely and sad-hearted,
And find things far from lovely here.
When I have gone you may discover
That you were fonder than you knew,
And oft, perhaps, my soul will hover
In silence very near to you.

"At night, when, lonely and regretful,
You listen to the winds that sigh,
Remember me; be not forgetful,
Though now my pleading you deny.
Remember when your heart is aching
That there was one whose love was great—
One who was eager to be taking
You for his everlasting mate.

"In that far place to which I'm going
There may be neither grief nor pain;
June breezes always may be blowing,
And joy may last and love may reign;
Bright angels daily may endeavor
To charm my memories away,
But be assured that I shall never
Forget you as you are today."

"I thank you, kind sir, most sincerely,"
She answered, "for your words of grace;
I think I understand quite clearly
That you intend to leave this place;
I'm sorry that I don't adore you;
I can't, however hard I try,
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HO-HUM! I'LL GO IN AN' SAY GOOD-NIGHT TO MAGGIE-
NOW-MARIE-TAKE THIS NOTE OVER TO MRS. DENTS HOUSE AND TELL HER TO BRING OVER HER MUSIC-I WANT HER TO SING FOR ME TONIGHT.
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SAY-DINTY! I'LL BE OVER!
6-30

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BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

A book that I would advice for everybody who lives in the country—even if it be only a city suburb—and who at the same time feels an interest in the animal and vegetable life stirring around him, is Gilbert White's. "Natural History of Selborne." This is one of those strange and rare books that possess aprsonality, and consequently an undying charm. There have probably been a hundrd edittions of it since 1789.

John Burroughs said that he could return to it and reread it every six or seven years. But he certainly must have reread parts of it much oftener than that. It is not its facts so much as its atmosphere that attracts and charms.

Selborne is a beautiful old English country town in Hampshire, surrounded with very green fields, hills and woods, but there is no special reason why its natural history should be the subject of a book. And, in fact, what Gilbert White wrote about was not merely Selborne's birds, bees, trees, tortoises, wasps, weasels, owls, ducks, flying spiders, crickets, chimney swallows, thunderstorms, dry Summers, wet seasons, big winds and storms, etc., but those of a hundred thousand other places scattered all over the temperate zone.

More than that, he made by some literary magic difficult to analyze mental pictures of these things which have so much atmosphere that you enjoy them as much as you would the things and scenes themselves, perhaps more. At any rate the English language does not contain another book dealing with everyday outdoors that can hold the pace alongside of this simple series of letters by a village pastor, who had a quick and accurate eye and a deep interest in the wonders, beauties and curiosities of this world, preaching sermons only on Sunday.

The "hollow vales and hanging woods" around Selborne were for him a kind of Land of Beulah, the enjoyment of which did not seem inconsistent with hopes of a Heaven beyond.

It is not, of course, a book to be read straight through; it is not that kind of a book at all. The first time you read it you to the end. There are certain characters, like the old tortoise, which hobbled awkwardly toward the lady who fed it, but ignored strangers, that turn up again and again, and you are always glad to get the latest news from them. They make you live right along the author, and walk about and ruminate with him. But after the book has been a long time on your shelves you read it by bits, according as memory carries you back to its scenes and incidents, as it does to those of days long past.

What a memorable story is that about the man who having but a time to have but one solitary hen. These incongruous animals spent much of their time together in a lonely orchard where they saw no creature but each other. By degrees an apparent regard began to take place between these two sequestered individuals. The fowl would approach the quadruped with notes of complacency, rubbing herself gently against his legs; while the horse would look down yith satisfaction, and move with the grertest caution and circumspection lest he should trample on his dimiqnutive companion. Thus by mutual good offices each seemed to console the vacant hours of the other."

I am not ashamed to say the "notes of complacency" of that hen, sounding gently in my memory in some meditative moment, have more than once called me backirre sistibly to Gilbert White's book, in order that I might revivify th scene.

Or take his description of the chimney swallow when abroad foraging for the little ones: "All the Summer long the swallow is a most instructive pattern of unwearied industry and affection: for from morning to night, while there is a family to be supported, she spends the while day skimming close to the ground and exerting the most sudden turns and quick evolutions. Avenues and long walks under hedges, and pasture fields and mown meadows while cattle graze, are her delight, especially if there are trees interspersd, bcause in suc hspots insects abound. When a fly is taken a smart snap from her bill is heard, resembling the noise at the shutting of a watch-case, but he moion of the marvilies is too quick for the eye."

Yes, indeed, Gilbert White left a book that is a mirror of himself and the things that interested him, and what better can a man do for thase who live after him.

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A STARTLING DEMONSTRATION

WHAT a terrible state of affairs it would be if we could read each other's minds! It is safe to say that if such were the case most of us would be afraid to think above a whisper. As an illustration, a case might be cited that occured in Houston. Some months ago a very charming young lady came to this city giving exhibitions in mind reading, and proved herself to be marvelously gifted in that respect. She easily read the thoughts of the audience, finding many articles hidden by simply holding the hand of the person secreting them, and read sentences written on little slips of paper by some at a considerable distance from her.

A young man in Houston fell in love with her, and married her after a short courtship.

They went to housekeeping and for a time were as happy as mortals can be.

One evening they were sitting on the porch of their residence holding each other's hands, and wrapt in the close communion of mutual love, when she suddenly rose and knocked him down the steps with a large flower-pot.

He arose astonished with a big bump on his head, and asked her if it were not too much trouble, to explain.

"You can't fool me," she said with flashing eyes. "You were thinking of a red-headed girl named Maud with a gold plug in her front tooth and a light pink waist and a black silk shirt on Rusk avenue, standing under a cedar bush chewing gum at twenty-minutes to eight with your arm around her waist and calling her 'sweetness,' while she fooled with your watch chain and said: 'Oh, George, give me a chance to breathe,' and her mother was calling her to supper. Don't you dare to deny it. Now, when you can get your mind on something better than that you can come in the house and not before."

Then the door slammed and George and the broken flower-pot were alone.

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Australian Settlement Prospects

In June the members of the British Overseas Settlement Delegation completed their inspection of the rural districts of Queensland, Now South Wales, and Victoria, and commenced a tour of Tasmania, to be followed by visits to South Australia and Western Australia. The leader of the delegation, Sir William Windham, state that "Queensland offered openings under the nomination system for boys who were prepared to enter into the apprenticeship plan.

Lads could obtain employment with farmers, and could thus acquire farming experience. He had met several British boys who were satisfied with their conditions and prospects. In New South Wales the delegation interviewed a number of British settlers, and was favorably impressed with the development of the fruit industry.

Here, also he had met a number of boys settled under the Dreadnought plan (in which the cost of building a large battleship is devoted to the settlement in that State of a number of boys).

The lads were contented with their employment and welfare. Crossing into Victoria," continued Sir William Windham, "we have been able to look over the northern irrigation areas. We took every opportunity of seeing as many settlers as possible, and have visited many typical farms in order to satisfy ourselves regarding the conditions in this very important area. We were very glad to find that the Governments of New South Wales and Victoria have agreed upon a policy of active co-operation in the development of the lands on both sides of the Murray.

The development which are contemplated will, undoubtedly, open up vast areas of profitable lands for dairying, wheatgrowing, and fruit cultivation. Here, also, the work is in the preparatory stage, but the lands are being developed in readiness for an expensive migration policy. We hope that British settlers will take advantage of the facilities afforded by the State for land settlement."

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If you live in a city where there is a push-cart section—somewhere where venders of food back their little hand-carts of vegetables and other sorts of food up against the curb to be inspected and bought by shoppers on the sidewalk—you will find that such a section is well worth visiting some day when you are in need of supplies.

This is what the English housewife calls "buying off a barrow," and even the well-to-do English housewife often indulges in the economy that is to be gained in this way.

There are disadvantages, of course. You have to carry your things home, unless you have a car parked down the street. You also have to be a fairly good judge of food at sight, because since these venders have no definite place of business it is next to impossible to have wrongs righted. It is not entirely surprising that you sometimes find one who gives short weight or who gives you food that is not in first-class condition. However, any one can tell whether or not fruit and vegetables are in a condition, and you can probably tell by close inspection whether you are getting good measure or not.

Needless to say it is unwise to buy any sort of meat or fish from one of these push-carts.

You probably object to the idea of even fruit and vegetables that have been exposed to the street dust in an uncovered push-cart. So it is wise to go as early as possible to do your push-cart buying. Sometimes you can be there when a fresh crate or barrel of vegetables or fruit is opened and then you can get them in prime condition.

Words From The Lips Of Wise Men

Knowledge always desires increase.

It is the talent of human nature to run from one extreme to another.

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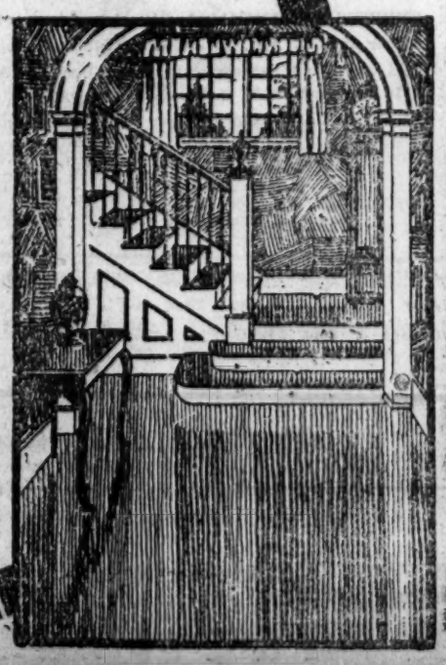

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Full Prospectus (upon the terms of which application will *alone* be received) and forms of application may be obtained locally from the Company's Broker, A. E. Stewart, Esq., Member of the Shanghai Stock Exchange, and from the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Shanghai.

This notice is not to be regarded as an invitation to the public to subscribe for shares.

J. W. ODELL,
Secretary.

DATED 25th July, 1923. 60785.

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

Vessels Loading

For River Ports

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, August 28, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGTEEN, Capt. Klausen, will leave on Wednesday, Aug. 29, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 Tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, August 30, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Bibb, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, August 31, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, September 3, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. TUCKWO, 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, September 4, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

WENCHOW.—The Str. FEI-CHING, Capt. Manley, will leave on Tuesday morning, August 28. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The Str. KWANGTAH, Captain Philip, will leave on Wednesday morning, August 29. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

FORMOSA via FOOCHOW. The O. S. K.'s Cargo and Passenger Str. FUKUKEN MARU, 5,000 tons, Captain T. Nanbu, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Yangtszepoo Wharf on August 31, at ——— For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4234.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. HSINMING, Captain Taylor, will leave on Tuesday morning, August 28. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. HSINKONG, Captain Smith, will leave on Wednesday morning, August 29. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

TSINGTAO, TIENTSIN AND DAIREN.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Passenger Steamer KOHOKU MARU, 5,000 tons, Captain M. Miyata, will be despatched from O.S.K. Wharf on Aug. 30, at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4234.

TIENTSIN DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the s.s. Kwangping on Aug. 31. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 32. (late 1) Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 317.

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun left Hankow on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Kungwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Wenchow will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow today.

The C.N. s.s. Sinklang left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi will leave Foochow today and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien left Tientsin on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang will leave Tientsin for Lungkow, Hongkong and Canton today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kwangping left Chinwangtao on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji tomorrow and will dock at the N.Y.K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru will arrive in Shanghai from Nagasaki Thursday morning, and is to dock at the Wayside Wharf. The liner will sail for the same port at daylight Friday.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Takada left Calcutta on Saturday, August 18, and is due in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about Sept. 10.

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia, from Bombay, was expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutsang is due in Shanghai from Calcutta, Straits and Hongkong today.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Macedonia left Yokohama on Sunday September 1. The steamer is to sail for London via ports on September 4.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Perseus left Singapore on Tuesday, August 21, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on August 31.

The N.D.L. s.s. Weser left Port Said on August 18 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Sept. 15.

The M.M. s.s. Amboise, from Marseilles on July 27 with mail, left Saigon at 5 o'clock yesterday morning, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Sept. 3.

The P. & O. s.s. Malwa is due to leave London next Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on October 10.

The Glen Line s.s. Pembrokeshire, from London, left Hongkong on Saturday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai today. The steamer will dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Akapenor left Singapore on August 24, and is due in Shanghai next Friday morning.

The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat left Kobe at 8 o'clock Sunday evening, and is due in Shanghai at noon tomorrow. The liner will dock at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf, and is to sail for Marseilles at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon. Passengers may embark at the wharf after 11 a.m.

The P. & O. s.s. Mantua arrived in Shanghai from London yesterday morning, and will sail for Japan ports tomorrow. The tender with outgoing passengers for the vessel will leave the Customs jetty at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Keats will arrive in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, on Thursday, and is to sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on September 1.

The P.M. s.s. President Wilson was due to leave San Francisco on Thursday, and arriving in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on September 12.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada was due to leave Vancouver on Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on Sept. 7.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Eurybates, from New York, left Kobe on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai via Moji, Taku Bar and Dairy on Thrusday.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West O'Rowa is expected in Shanghai from Hongkong on or about today, and will sail for Portland, Oregon, via Kobe.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln, from San Francisco on Aug. 13, is due at Yokohama today and arriving in Shanghai via Kobe on Sept. 2.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison, from Seattle on Aug. 19, should arrive at Yokohama next Thursday, and is expected in Shanghai on September 4.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley is due to leave San Francisco next Thursday, and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on Sept. 16.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Crosskeys is due in Shanghai from Seattle today and will dock at the Dollar Wharf.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. William Penn, which has been delayed by bad weather at the Northern ports is now due to arrive in Shanghai today and will dock at the Dollar Wharf.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Elbeck which has been delayed at the Philippines owing to bad weather, will arrive in Shanghai today, and is to sail for New York via Kobe and ports.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia left Woosung for yesterday morning, and is due in Vancouver via Kobe, and Yokohama on September 12.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant which arrived from Seattle last Saturday, sailed for Hongkong and Manila yesterday morning.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson will arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong this afternoon, and is to dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf around 2 o'clock. The liner will sail for Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Passengers Departed

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping for Chinwangtao: Mr. and Mrs. W. G. H. Forrest and child, Mr. Hay.

Per I-C. s.s. Kutwo for Wuhu: Misses L. B. Collins, W. Wilkinson; for Hankow: Rev. M. Connaughten, Dr. B. B. Davis, Dr. J Lowy, Misses Jameson, G. Stewart, A. Brown, Mundleein, Dr. (Miss) A Brown, Messrs Clark, C. A. Butland, J. C. T. Pearson.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangan for Ngankin: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pott

Per C.M. s.s. Feiching for Foochow: Mr. W. A. Schlichter.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsinming for Chefoo: Mr. E. Casey.

Per Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant for Hongkong: Mrs. C. C. Wu, Miss L. W. and Master H. P. Wu, Mrs. Ow-Rang, Mr. and Mrs. Y. P. Kan, Mrs. Leung Kan, Miss Y. Y. Chang, Messrs. C. S. Kan, R. C. Morton, A. Calero, T. H. Lin, T. T. Mi, E. A. Pratt, Alexander Blomer, C. S. Travares, W. Rohnstock, Herman Stehr, O. Sanksen, C. V. Starr, Chas. E. Powell, H. Chang, Lee Liu-daung, S. C. Lee, Yie Liu Chen; for Manila: Mrs. Emily Hern, Mrs. Elsie Barnes, Mrs. Susan C. Morrissey, Mrs. M. Walton, Mrs. F. and Master John Griggs, Mrs. E. P. S. and Miss E. P. S. Hooper, Mrs. Z. E. and Miss K. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Batten, Messrs. W. T. Ladd, J. J. Russell, H. G. Murray, Wallace Davis, T. B. Wilson.

Per C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia for Vancouver: Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Bryceson and infant, Miss Bryceson, Major G. C. Carvell, Messrs. Shang Feng Chiang, Pih Chu, A. V. Dahl, K. Elliott, F. F. Fok, Capt. C. Henningsen, Miss M. W. Hall, Mrs. R. Lawrie-Smith, Messrs. G. S. Lee, F. C. Noble, R. Naiman, Mrs. E. Poskitt, Misses Phyllis and Patricia Poskitt, Master Edw. Poskitt, Miss Reimer, Dr. A. H. Steddard, Rev. and Mrs. Frank H. Swanson and infant, Master Leland and Miss Josephine Swanson, Mrs. O. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wohlgemuth and infant, Mr. Z. Z. Zee, Dr. Otto Burchard, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dickerson, Miss M. Diskerson, Rev. F. C. Gilbert, Messrs. LeRoy A. Petty, Chang-li Shih, E. Scott, B. J. Schroff, Y. K. Voong, Miss N. Y. Wang.

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO

President Lincoln	July 21
President Taft	Aug. 4
Acme	Aug. 12
Tenyo Maru	Aug. 16
President Cleveland	Aug. 18
Korea Maru	Aug. 23

FOR VANCOUVER

Stuart Dollar	July 24
Canadian Transporter	July 31
Empress of Canada	July 31
N. D. de Fourviere	Aug. 3
Empress of Russia	Aug. 12
Empress of Australia	Aug. 27

FOR SEATTLE

President Madison	July 24
Eldridge	Aug. 1
Yokohama Maru	Aug. 4
Harold Dollar	Aug. 5
President McKinley	Aug. 6
President Jackson	Aug. 17

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West O'Rowa	July 24
West Jessup	Aug. 6

FOR NEW YORK

Gothic Prince	July 21
Independence	July 22
Virginia Dollar	July 24
Manila Maru	July 25
City of Madras	Aug. 4
Talthybius	Aug. 1
Egremont Castle	Aug. 1
Delagoa Maru	Aug. 1
Alaska Maru	Aug. 1
Africa Maru	Aug. 2
City of Boston	Aug. 2
Moorish Prince	Aug. 2

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Devanha	July 21
Peleus	July 28
Kashima Maru	July 28
Sarpedon	Aug. 1
Khiva	Aug. 4
Titan	Aug. 12
Carnarvonshire	Aug. 12
Laomedon	Aug. 14
Dardanus	Aug. 16
Kashmir	Aug. 18
Hakone Maru	Aug. 18
City of Dunkirk	Aug. 22
Suwa Maru	Aug. 25
City of Glasgow	Aug. 26
Gamemnon	Aug. 27

FOR HAMBURG

City of Pekin	July 24
Emil Kirdorf	July 26
Gleniffer	Aug. 4
Scheer	Aug. 15
Goettingen	Aug. 16
Muensterland	Aug. 19

FOR COPENHAGEN

Bolivia	Aug. 14

FOR ROTTERDAM

Saleier	Aug. 5

FOR TRIESTE

Duchess D'Aosta	Aug. 3

FOR MARSEILLES

Angkor	Aug. 3
Commandant Dorise	Aug. 13
Chambord	Aug. 17

FOR INDIA

Torilla	July 21
Hosang	July 25
Soudan	Aug. 3
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Eurybates,	*New York*	Aug. 30
Gweneth,	*Singapore*	Aug. 31
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Hawaii Maru,	*Hongkong*	Sep. 3
Hsinchi,	*Foochow*	Aug. 30
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Kiangwah,	*Hankow*	Sept. 1
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Kiangan,	*Hankow*	Sep. 4
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Kumano Maru,	*Osaka*	Aug. 29
Kutsang,	*Calcutta*	Aug. 28
Kungwo,	*Hankow*	Aug. 30
Kwangping,	*Chinwangtao*	Aug. 23
Luenho,	*Hankow*	Aug. 29
Luenyi,	*Hankow*	Aug. 30
Macedonia,	*Yokohama*	Sept. 1
Nagasaki Maru,	*Nagasaki*	Aug. 30
Paul Lecat,	*Yokohama*	Aug. 29
Pembrokeshire,	*London*	Aug. 28
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Shuntien,	*Tientsin*	Aug. 29
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Sinklang,	*Hongkong*	Aug. 30
Suiyang,	*Hongkong*	Sept. 1
Suiwo,	*Hankow*	Sept. 1
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Tuckwo,	*Honkow*	Sep. 2
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Waishing,	*Hongkong*	Aug. 28
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Wenchow,	*Hankow*	Sept. 1
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West O'Rowa,	*Hongkong*	Aug. 28
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Sept. 15 — Hongkong, Manila	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 18 — Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 21 — Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Sep 28 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 30 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Aug. 28 noon Tsingtao	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 28 noon Antung	Chinkiang	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 28 noon Newchwang	Chengtu	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 28—Dairen etc.	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Aug. 28 3.00 W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 28 noon W. C'foo, T'tsin	Chekiang	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 29— Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinkong	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 29 D.L. Tsingtao	Taisang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 29 noon W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tausang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 30 noon W. C'foo, T'tsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 30 1.00 Tsingtao, Dairen	Saikio Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Aug. 30 noon Tsingtao, etc.	Kohoku M.	Jap. O S K.
Aug. 31 — Chinwangtao	Kwangping	Br. K.M.A.
Sep. 1 2.00 Tsingtao	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 2 D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B.& S.
Sep. 15 — Darren, etc.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Aug. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Aug. 29 M.N Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 30 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 30 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenko	Br. J. M. & C.
Aug. 30 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 31 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 31 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Aug. 31 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sept. 1 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
Sept. 2 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 4 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 4 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
M. N.—MIDNIGHT	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
†CARRYING MAIL.	D. L.—DAYLIGHT	* A.M.

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Aug. 29	9 a.m.	P. Jefferson	Seattle	Sep. 14
Aug. 31	9 p.m.	P. Pierce	S. Francisco	Sep. 20

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Aug. 30	8 a.m.	Patroclus	Marseilles	Oct. 1
Aug. 31	10 a.m.	Paul Lecat	Marseilles	Oct. 4
Sept. 4	10 a.m.	Macedonia	Marseilles	Oct. 8

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Newchwang	Today	10.30 a.m.	Chengtu
W'wei, Chefoo and T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Fausang
Tsingtao	Today	10.30 a.m.	Yingchow
Tsingtao	Today	9 p.m.	Taisang
Antung	Today	10.30 a.m.	Chinkiang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	1.30 p.m.	Chekiang
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Hsinkong
Tsingtao and Dairy	Aug. 30	11.30 a.m.	Saikio Maru
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Aug. 30	10.30 a.m.	Fengtien
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Sep. 1	9 p.m.	Shuntien
Tzingtao	Sep. 1	12.30 p.m.	Sinkiang

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9 p.m.	Kwangtah
Foochow	Today	8 p.m.	Ningshin
Swatow	Today	10.30 a.m.	Shansi
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Fooshing
Amoy	Aug. 29	10.30 a.m.	Shantung
Hongkong & Canton	Aug. 30	10.30 a.m.	Sunning
	Aug. 30	8 a.m.	Petroclus

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	8 p.m.	Yamashiro M.
Japan ports	Aug. 27	8 p.m.	Shanghai M.
Japan ports	Aug. 30	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Japan ports	Aug. 31	8 p.m.	Kumano Maru

Meteorological Reports

August 28, 1923.
Sun rises today at 5.34
Sun sets today at 18.31

(inches	August 24.		Augsut 25	
		SICCAWEI		
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	29.53	29.63	29.65	29.73
at 82° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	-0.06	†0.05	†0.23	†0.27
Wind—direction	†0.11	†0.17	†0.12	-0.10
Wind—miles per hour	NW	WNW	WNW	WNW
Temperature (Fahr.)	32.3	18.6	17.4	18.0
Humidity %	79°7	75°4	73°2	7986
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	77	87	94	-82
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	9	4	0	9
	5.03	0.00	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIGDED REPORT

August 25.	24 hrs. Mean 1922	Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	29.51	-0.13	29.78
Temperature (Min 75°6)			
(Fahr.) (Max. 81°7)	78°6	-3°4	79°2
Rainfall (inches)			

Information For Mariners

TUESDAY, AUG. 28, 1923

(The night tide are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 2 and 3 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¾ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
1h. 6m.	10ft. 2in.	1h. 23m.	9ft. 10in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The night tides ore higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.		P.M.	
H.	M.	H.	M.
0	10	0	27

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset,

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
7.36 p.m.	6.59 a.m.	5h. 33m.	6h. 31m.	4h. 48m.	7h. 16m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. 29.71 in.
August 754.9 mm.

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NO. 486 RUE AUGUSTE BOPPE
On Tuesday August 28th 1923,
At 10 a.m.
THE WHOLE OF THE SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
CONTAINED THEREIN

HALL:—Clothes Stand, Embroidered Picture, Hall Stand, Bookcase & Desk Combined Carved Oak Hall Chairs, etc.,
DRAWING ROOM:—Brass Fender, Rattan Sofa, Rattan Arm Chairs, Oscillating Fan, Mahogany stained Cane back Arm Chairs, Hand Sewing Machine, Mahogany stained Caneback Couch & Mattress, etc.,
DINING ROOM:—Brass Fenders, Card tables, Pictures, Electric Table Fan, Desk, Bookcase, Teak Sideboard, Silver Ware Cabinet, Teak Extension Dining Table, Dining Chairs, E. P. Ware, Crockery, Mirror, Tray, etc.,
CONTENTS of 7 Bedrooms:—Pictures, Oak stained Bevelled Mirror Door Wardrobe, Mirror Back Dressing Table, Chest of Drawers, Tile Top Washstand, Brass Mounted Double Bedstead, Double Spring Arm Chairs, 1 Oakstained Bedroom Suite fitted with Bevelled Mirrors, Teak Cane Back Couch Convertible into Double Bedsteads, with wire Mattresses attached & Hair Mattresses, Simmons Single Bedstead, Electric Table Lamp, Teak Centre Tables, Mahogany Cane back Writing Desk Mahogany stained Bevelled Mirror door Large Wardrobe, Mahogany stained Mirror back Dressing Table, Chest of Drawers, Hospital Bedsteads, Tapestry Arm Chairs, Large Oak Bevelled Mirror door Wardrobe, Dressing Table, Chest of Drawers, Teak Chairs, Rattan Cots, Simmons Cream Enamelled Single Bedsteads, Stoves, white Enamelled Oval Bevelled Mirror door wardrobe Chest of Drawers, Bentwood Chairs, Marble top & Mirror back Washstands, etc.,
BATH ROOM:—Linoleum, 5 Enamelled Iron Baths, 3 Humphrey's Geyser, Shower Baths, Night Tables, Commodes, etc.,
KITCHEN:—Dresser, Table, Filter, Pansy Cooking Stove, etc.,
Mosquito Screens throughout
also
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Will sell by Public Auction within the Premises
NO. 36 WAYSIDE ROAD
On Wednesday, August 29th 1923
Commencing at 10 a.m.
THE WHOLE OF THE
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
CONTAINED THEREIN

HALL.—Carved hall settee, mirror back hat & umbrella stand, large 5-coloured vases, pictures, etc.
DRAWING ROOM.—Fire screen, brass ornaments, carved figure, mantle mirror, carved desk, electric table fan, oval table, vases, teapoys, rattan settee & arm chairs, folding table with brass trays, lace curtains, pictures, etc., etc.
DINING ROOM.—Tientsin carpet, mantle clock, overmantle, brass vases, brass electric table lamp, mahogany stained cabinet, Mirror back Sideboard, dining table, chairs, vases, pictures, plush table cover, curtains, crockery, cutlery, glass ware, camphorwood Bookcase etc.
BEDROOMS.—Matting, Large carved Camphorwood 3 bevelled mirror door wardrobe, teak chest of drawers, bevelled mirror back dressing table, mahogany stained double bedstead, Simmon's spring and hair mattress, mosquito-net, rocking chairs, pictures, clock, curtains, mirror door wardrobe, dressing table, chest of drawers, book case, White enamelled iron double bedstead, blankets, linen, teak mirror door wardrobe, iron single bedstead, desk, spring arm chairs, brass single bedstead, Soochow curtains, etc., etc.
BATH ROOM.—Enamelled iron bath, marble top washstand, chairs, towel rails, etc., etc.
PANTRY & KITCHEN.—"Dover" Cooking stove, dresser, ice chest, meat safe, etc., etc.
On view Tuesday, August 28th

IN FRONT SALESROOM

On Wednesday August 29th 1923
Commencing at 10 a.m.
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
Comprising:—
Teak mirror back sideboard, Teak mirror back cellarette, Teak Overmantle, Teak wood bedroom suite 7 pieces, Silver ware cabinet Sofa, Arm chairs, Ice chest, Brass double bedsteads with wire and other mattresses, White enamel iron double and single bedstead with wire & other mattresses, Folding bed, Books, & Novels, Singer sewing machine, Large mirror door wardrobe, Mirror back dressing table, Teak high desk, Large cooking range, Dark stained mirror back sideboard, Book cases, filing cabinets, Fine dinner set, E. P. ware, Crockery, glass ware, Chinese bronze, Brass and Porcelain Curios and sundries etc., etc.
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On Thursday, August 30th 1923,
At 10 a.m.
THE WHOLE OF THE SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
(Mostly manufactured by ARTS & CRAFTS)
Comprising:—
Oakstained Hall table, hat racks, Bookcase and desk combined, Coal box, Teapoys, Sideboard, Round dining table, Dining chairs, Serge upholstered Chesterfield Arm Chairs, Large Oakstained Wardrobe, Cupboard, Double Bedstead, hair mattress, Dressing table, Marble top washstand, Bevelled Mirror, Oscillating table fan, Reed blinds, Brass stair guards, Brass rods, Desk, Roll door cabinet, Patent Step Ladder, Cushions, Curtains, Rugs, E. P. ware, Crockery, Pictures, Woollen blankets, Linen, Enamelled Iron Bath, Lavatory basin, 1 Gent's free wheel bicycle Gas and electric fittings etc.
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At 10 a.m. (Forenoon)
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Comprising:—
Champagne, brandy, whisky, hock, claret, beer, gin, assorted liqueurs, Mineral water, cigars, biscuits, assorted provisions, pink coloured dye, Elf sewing instruments manicuring sets, and nail polishers, storm lanterns, sundries, etc.,
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Commencing at 10 a.m.
USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
Comprising:—
White painted twin wooden bedstead with bedding, Oakwood bed room suite, Drill covered couch & arm chairs, Teakwood roll top desk, arm chairs, Writing table, Book case, Document drawers, Sample show case, Mirror back sideboard, Cellarette, dining tables, dining chairs, ice chest, Oakwood mirror door wardrobe, dressing table, Chest of drawers, Gent's bicycle, Teapoys, typewriter etc., etc.
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SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
Comprising:—
HALL, Drawing room, Dining room, Bed room, & Bath room, Teakwood mirror back hat and umbrella stand, Porcelain jardiniere and stand, Coloured pictures, Japanese matting, Brass mounted iron fenders, iron clocks, Silk tapestry covered drawing room suite, in mahogany stained teakwood frames, Centre table, Book case Lady's desk, Teakwood mirror back sideboard, Cellarette, Dining table, Dining chairs, Silver ware cabinet, Tapestry covered double spring couch, E. P. glass & crockery ware, Lace curtains, Double brass bedstead, Mahogany stained bed room suite, with bevelled edge mirrors, Linen cupboard, "Simmons" enamel iron bedstead, Large oakwood mirror door wardrobe, Dressing table, marble top washstand, Electric table lamp, wicker chairs, Porcelain vases & ornaments etc., etc.
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Two Russians, M. Borisoff, 21 years old, and Peter S. Shezlogg, 24 years old, both living at 95 Rue Bourgeat, were arrested Sunday night in connection with an attempted robbery by violence at 45 North Szechuen Road on Aug. 24. A third, S. Pluchenko, had already been taken into custody.

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French Wireless—News And Views

Paris, Aug. 26.—At Chasny (Meuse) Premier Poincare, inaugurating a memorial to the dead, recalled the consequence which would have followed the victory of Germany. The whole of Europe would have been enslaved, Germany would have become inevitably sovereign of the globe and would have become the empress of humanity.

Without the union of the Allies, without the valiance of our soldiers such monstrocity would have been accomplished.

We have to remember the pains when demanding an execution of the treaty where we have shown the proof of great moderation which many of our compatriots deemed excessive.

Germany was not even bound to pay us the war expenses, she was only charged with the reparation of material damages caused by her.

Is that indeed a heavy condemnation?

M. Poincare citing the enormous expenses which France had suffered after 1870, jointly with the painful loss of two provinces, said that the figures given are beyond dispute, they offer a little more of guarantee than those given yesterday by Chancellor Stressemann.

The arbitrary estimates of the German Chancellor show the consequences that a consultation of international experts might have.

France after 1870 succeded to settle the expenses, to reconstitute her stock of tools; she worked in order to restore prosperity in the country which helped us to grow in the mind of the universe.

Our enemies may try to do today what we had done after 1870. Should they not decide to do so we will address to them the same phrase which they addressed us then: "Pay us or we will stay."

At Grondecourt M. Poincare, inaugurating a plate in memory of the arrival at the front of the first American troops, praised their animation and their energy. He recalled that the American Senate did not ratify the Versailles Treaty but the great majority of the American people thinks today it is very legitimate that we taking securities which we do not want quit against simple promises. Poincare concluded that the best way to come to be helped is to help yourselves. That is the conviction which brought France into the Ruhr. All which took place before, all which occurred since then confirms us in the idea that we were right.

Paris, Aug. 25.—The Belgian Charge d'Affaires having communicated the draft Belgian reply to the Quai d'Orsay this morning the French Government this afternoon informed the Belgian Government that it had no objection to make either to its matter or form.

Paris, Aug. 25.—The evening newspapers, as well as the morning discuss Dr. Stresemann's speech, the tone of which is generally considered as imdicating a better will.

The Temps remarks that from the first the Chancellor did not insist on the conflict in the Ruhr. Moreover, he declared that the French conceptions as explained in the Yellow Book cannot be regretted by Germany as they formed a basis for a solution of the reparations problem.

As to the resumption of deliveries in kind and the levying of Customs dues by the Allies, the Chancellor having clearly stated that he desires no difference of regime between the occupied territories and the rest of Germany, is opposed to M. Poincare who declared: "It would be the Allies themselves who in the occupied territories would levy the Customs dues and would take a duty of 26 percent on moneys from the sale of certain important export products."

The Temps adds that, founded solely on the authorities and punctuality of the Reich, the means of recovery would be worth exactly those of which the Reich makes use to administer her finances. The currency inflation, the cause of the first collapse of the marks, has been the continual policy of Germany since the war. That past is of ill omen for the future.

The Journal des Debats says: "We should certainly not attach exaggerated importance to a simple change of tone. The attitude of Cuno did not allow of imagining the eventuality of modification in the policy of the Reich. That of Dr. Stresemann if it is still not sufficiently clear at least does not compromise the future.

Dr. Stresemann must know that we do not ask better than to come to an understanding under the reservation that it shall be in conditions which assure us in future all the necessary guarantees. He, who formerly before the defeat advised his country to crush the vanquished, must, if he is acting in good faith, consider that those whom he proposed to exploit and who are today the victors, are showing extraordinary moderation, but he must know that they will not yield any further of their essential rights."

Paris, Aug. 25.—A mission of Swedish officers has arrived at Vilna to carry out historical research with regard to the Polono Swedish wars of the 17th Century.

The Polish Minister of Finance has granted a credit of 60,000,000,000 marks to form stocks of cereals in order to combat the rise in price of necessary products.

Paris, Aug. 26.—On his passage through London the National Commander (Colonel Owsley) of the American Legion declared in an interview that the American Legion had approved the occupation of the Ruhr by France and Belgium when this occupation was decided six months ago, considering that it was the only measure left to the Allies to obtain from the Germans the reparations guaranteed by the treaty of Versailles and by the separate treaty concluded between the United States and Germany.

Colonel Owsley added: "I want to make a tour in the Ruhr in order to state my impressions before the national convention of the American Legion which will take place in Octboer at San Francisco."

The Colonel is proceeding to Brussels where he will attend the congress of the federation of Interallied veterans.

Paris, Aug. 25.—The Italian press reports that an agreement between the Unitarians and the members of the Confederation of Labour by a large majority favours technical collaboration and permits of the development of the trade-union movement within the national movement.

Paris, Aug. 25.—The Carnegie Foundation has awarded a silver medal and a prize of 5,000 francs to the Abbe Tauleigne, cure of Pontigny, to reward him for the devotion with which he has pursued his scientific labours in spite of grave injuries from X-rays.

SAN FRANCISCO REPORTS ON NEW RADIO STATION

First Messages From China To United States Heard

Newspapers that arrived on Saturday on the President Grant brought reports of the first radio messages ever transmitted between China and the United States having been sent from the new Japanese radio station at Peking on the night of July 31. Following is one report published in San Francisco on August 1:

"Across 5130 miles of intervening water, China and America shook hands last night by radio for the first time in history, breaking all transpacific wireless transmission records and linking Orient and Occident by the electrical grip of friendship.

"The feat was achieved when signals from the new station of the Mitsui company at Peking were picked up on this Coast after spanning the whole Pacific. The occasion marked China's first message to the United States by the air lanes, transmitted directly between the two countries without relay of any kind.

BONE OF CONTENTION

"The Mitsui station has been the famous bone of contention between the Federal Telegraph Company interests, backed by the State Department at Washington and the Chinese government. The Mitsui interests claimed to hold a concession from the Chinese government for exclusive operation for foreign communication at Peking. Backed by British Marconi interests, they battled for maintenance of this concession.

"The Federal interests, with American capital and affiliations, undertook to enforce a concession of their own.

FRICTION DEVELOPS

"The friction which developed out of the affair assumed international significance, the political aspects of which were settled only when the State Department at Washington informed the Chinese government that agreements made must be kept.

"The Mitsui interests despite this attitude here, continued with the construction of their station, which will be, when finally completed, one of the biggest wireless stations in the world.

"The signals were picked up on the Pacific Coast at approximately 6:30 p.m. on a wave length of 15,000 meters. They came sharp and distinct, over 5,000 miles of water, marking the initial direct communication between two countries almost directly opposite each other on the surface of the globe. High frequency Alexanderson type alternators are being used at the Peking stations and the signals were easily copied here."

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